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RULES OF ORDER.

1. Every member of the Conference is expected to be in his place and answer to his name at roll-call on the first and each subsequent day, and remain during the transaction of business, unless called away and excused; and he shall have his statistics ready for presentation on the first morning.

2. Any member who desires to speak on any subject shall arise in his place and address the Chair, and speak only with the permission of the Chair, and not longer than ten minutes, unless by consent of the Conference, and not the second time until all who wish have spoken.

3. It shall not be in order to interrupt any member while speaking, unless for the purpose of explanation, or on claim of misrepresentation, or to raise a point of order, and only then by leave of the Chair.

4. Motions shall take precedence in the following order, viz.: to lay on the table; to postpone indefinitely; to postpone to a given time; to re-commit; to amend; to substitute for, and to take the previous question; and motions to lay on the table, to postpone, and the previous question, shall not be debatable.

5. When a point of order is raised, he who makes it shall, if desired, reduce it to writing; and all motions, resolutions, and reports of committees, shall be written and presented in duplicate, unless the Secretary agrees to waive this rule.

ORDER OF EXAMINATION.

A. The committee to examine each class shall consist of four members, who shall be reappointed annually to examine the same Class until the Course of Study be completed.

B. The day preceding the opening of each session of Conference shall be fixed for the examination of Undergraduates and the Candidates for admission, and the first Friday of each session for Local Preachers for Orders.

C. At least six hours shall be devoted to examining each Class, and the examination shall be conducted in writing, each candidate receiving the same questions, the grade to be in exact proportion to the number of questions answered, and the papers containing the questions shall be distributed in the room where the Class is assembled for examination.

D. The answers shall be marked on a scale of figures from 0 to 10 —6 indicating a passable examination—and the Examiners shall, in their reports, specify the grade in each study as well as the average; and any candidate failing to reach the grade of six in any study, or to read any book specified in the course, shall be continued for re-examination in that deficiency, and it shall be at the option of the Examiners to refuse to examine any one who fails to be present at the appointed time.

E. Written sermons required in the course shall be sent to the chairman of the committees at least ten days before the day of examination.

F The chairman of each Committee of Examination shall furnish the Secretary with a written report to be entered in the Record of Examinations.

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STANDING RESOLUTIONS.

I. When any member of this Conference intends to object to the passage of the Character of any other member, he shall hand the name of such member to the President, who shall pass the name by, and direct the case to be investigated.

II. When any one of our members is called from earth, it shall be the duty of the nearest Pastor, or the Presiding Elder of the district to notify all the preachers in the district of such death and of the time set for the funeral service.

III. At each session of this Conference a publisher shall be elected to publish the Minutes of the next session, who shall be authorized to make arrangements and to enter into a contract for the publication in advance of the session.

IV. At the anniversary of each of our Conference Societies, the committee appointed by the Conference to consider the interests of said Society shall present their report for consideration.

V. The Presiding Elder of the District and the preacher in charge of the station where the Conference is to be held, together with the Presidents of the several Conference Societies, are instructed to arrange the programme of religious exercises, and, if practicable, secure their publication in the *Central Christian Advocate*.

VI. The Board of Stewards shall consist of six members, each of whom shall serve three years—two being appointed at each session of the Conference. The Board shall organize by the appointment of a President, Secretary and Treasurer, whose names shall be published, and who shall serve one year.

VII. When the names for candidates for admission on trial or for orders, are called, they shall, if present, be called forward and introduced to the Conference.

VIII. Each candidate for admission, on trial, or re-admission into the Conference, also for election to Deacon's or Elder's orders, shall be asked by the Bishop presiding: "*Will you wholly abstain from the use of tobacco?*" And candidates for the recognition of orders, shall, unless excused by vote of the Conference, be examined in the same manner as candidates for ordination, and the Committee on Conference Relations shall inquire into the character and fitness for the Traveling Connection of each candidate for admission on trial or re-admission into the Conference.

IX. There shall be a meeting of the Statistical Secretaries with the Conference Treasurer, at 8 o'clock on Saturday morning, for the purpose of comparing the monies reported in the Statistical tables.

X. When a minister in the active work dies, the district in which he dies shall provide a monument for him, at a cost of not less than *fifty dollars;* and when a superannuated member dies, the Presiding Elder in whose district he falls shall make an apportionment to the other districts.

XI. Each Presiding Elder, at the close of his term, shall prepare a report of his district, not to exceed one thousand words for publication in the Minutes.

XII. The Stewards are authorized to take annually from the *pro rata* due the claimants from the Book Concern, a sum according to their discretion, not to exceed ten per cent. of their indebtedness to the Book Concern, until it shall be paid in full.

XIII. To protect that class of men who have given their lives to the work of the ministry within our bounds no man shall be admitted on trial who is more than thirty-five years of age.

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J. G. Harmon.

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M. N. Powers. C. W. Bonner. J. W. McNeill. John Leeper.
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To Preach Annual Missionary Sermon.

J. W. Van Cleve. *Alternate*—G. W. Shepherd.

Committees on Examination.

For Admission on Trial—F. M. Van Treese, B. A. Hoar, J. W. Jackson, N. Crow.
First Year—C. W. Sabine, M. B. Baker, C. D. Shumard, J. W. McNeill.
Second Year—F. L. West, J. D. Crenshaw, J. H. Ford, S. A. McIntosh.
Third Year—B. R. Pierce, J. C. Kinison, G. W. Shepherd, R. D. Woodley.
Fourth Year—F. L. Thomson, G. A. Seed, W. A. Cross, J. D. Hennessey.

Local Preachers for Deacons' Orders.

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Local Preachers for Elders' Orders.

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SPECIAL SERVICES.

Tuesday Evening.—Centennial Sermon by E. Joy.

Wednesday Afternoon.—Anniversary Epworth League Society. Addresses by G. W. Shepherd, J. W. Jackson, J. W. Van Cleve, J. H. Jones, R. D. Woodley.

Wednesday Evening.—Church Extension Anniversary. Address by Dr. M. S. Hard.

Thursday Afternoon.—Anniversary of Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Address by Dr. C. P. Hard.

Thursday Evening.—Anniversary of Missionary Society. Addresses by Drs. Bowen, C. P. Hard, Jesse Bowman Young.

Friday Afternoon.—Memorial Service. Anniversary of Temperance Society. Addresses by C. B. Besse, J. L. Wallar

Friday Evening.—Anniversary of the Educational Society. Addresses by M. L. Barr, President of McKendree College, C. B. Besse, L. W. Thrall.

Saturday Afternoon.—Missionary Sermon by R. D. Woodley.

Saturday Evening.—Anniversary of Freedmen's Aid and Southern Educational Society. Address by Dr. Hartzell.

Sunday Morning.—Love Feast. Led by S. Walker. Sermon by Bishop C. H. Fowler.

Sunday Afternoon.—Ordination of Deacons and Elders.

Sunday Evening.—Sermon by J. Young, D. D.

SUMMARY OF DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

1.—Who have been received by Transfer and from what Conference?

J. M. Adams, from Kentucky Conference, D. C. Ridgway, from Austin Conference.

2.—Who have been Re-admitted?

None.

3.—Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?

Littleton Hullett, from M. E. Church South.

4.—Who have been Received on Trial?

F. M. James, J. W. Cummins, L. W. Porter, J. P. Levitt, L. Hullett, C. W. Wynant, Geo. N. Wilkerson, J. M. Adams, Theodore Cates, Gye Park.

(*b*) *In Studies of Third Year.*

None.

5.—Who have been Continued on Trial?

(*a*) *In Studies of the First Year.*

S. S. Smith, G. W. Randle, C. S. McCullom, N. D. Sweeney.

(*b*) *In Studies of Second Year.*

J. A. Large, O. E. Laird, Ressho Robertson, C. J. Pressley, J. E. McKelvey, O. F. Culver, T. O. Holly, W. H. Neil, W. C. Walton, D. R. Miller, N. Atkin, A. J. Littell, Charles T. Douthitt, Lafayette C. Wilkin.

(*c*) *In Studies of Third Year.*

None.

(*d*) *In Studies of Fourth Year.*

None.

6.—Who have been Discontinued?

None.

7.—Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?

(*a*) *Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.*

Hiram H. Young, Jason B. Cummins, John K. Hunter, Geo. E. McCammon, William D. McIntosh, Samuel C. Pierce, Alfred H. Pitkin, Douglas Shouse, David W. Baker, H. O. Hiser.

(*b*) *Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.*

Lewis J. Grantham, Elmer E. Waggoner, Charles T. Douthitt, Lafayette C. Wilkin.

8. What Members are in the Studies of the Third Year?

(*a*) *Admitted into Full Membership this Year,*

Lewis J. Grantham, Hiram H. Young, Elmer E. Waggoner, Jason B. Cummins, John K. Hunter, Geo. E. McCammon, William D. McIntosh, Samuel Pierce, Alfred H. Pitkin, Douglas Shouse, David W. Baker, Henry O. Hiser.

(*b*) *Admitted into Full Membership previously.*

Sherman P. Young, Charles Gorden, J. W. Maddux.

9.—What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?

Willard Kiesling, M. L. Cole, Albert Vandaveer, Charles E. Bovard, Samuel E. Turner, John A. Taylor, John W. Tennyson, William H. Poole, Lawrence Smith, Charles E. Baker, James E. Burk, William J. Hopper.

10—What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?

(*a*) *Elected and Ordained Elders this year.*

Wm. Carson, David L. Harris, Josiah C. Kinison, Ulysses G. Johnston, Zelah J. Farmer.

(*b*) *Elected and Ordained Elders previously.*

Charles E. Sale.

11.—What other members have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?

(*a*) *As Local Preacher.*

Joel Brown, G. W. Webber.

(*b*) *Under Missionary Rule.*

None.

12.—What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?

(*a*) *As Local Deacons.*

None.

(*b*) *Under Missionary Rule.*

Samuel C. Pierce.

13.—Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?

Yes, in open Conference.

14—Who have been Transferred, and to what Conference?

J. W. Britton, to Missouri Conference, Isaiah Villars, to Rock River Conference, and E. C. Ferguson, to the Holston Conference.

15.—Who have Died?

Lafayette Casey, Edmund Root, William T. Brannum.

16.—Who have been Located at their own Request?

J. W. Phillips, T. J. Davis, J. D. Reeder, C. N. Burke, John Pearce.

17.—*Who have been Located?*

None.

18.—*Who have withdrawn?*

J. S. Sproul.

19.—*Who have been permitted to withdraw under Charges or Complaints?*

None.

20.—*Who have been Expelled?*

None.

21.—*What other personal Notation should be made?*

(*a*) Willis Patchen, an Elder of Presbyterian Church.

(*b*) J. W. Phillips, restored by action of Judicial Conference.

22.—*Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*

N. B. Cooksey, S. Walker, A. L. Greenlaw, A. D. Cullom, J. P. Youngling, G. M. Whitsell, J. W. Field, J. W. Maddux, H. Sears, J. D. Gillham.

23.—*Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*

R. W. Laughlin, G. W. Waggoner, F. O. Blair, C. Mapes, D. Oglesby, M. House, A. Bliss, J. P. Dew, D. Elam, G. W. Cullom, R. Randle, M. L. King, J. P. Rutherford, J. W. Nall, A. Ransom, J. Weeden, J. W. Franklin, J. J Boyer, L. A. Harper, T. A. Eaton, J. A. Thrapp, V. D. Lingenfelter, H. H. Keith, R. Allyn, W. F. Davis, Wm. McMorrow, H. Manifold, Wm. Van Cleve, Joseph Earp.

24.—*Who are the Triers of Appeals?*

M. N. Powers, C. W. Bonnér, J. W. McNeil, John Leeper, J. B. Ravenscroft, C. B. Besse, J. H. Ford.

25.—*What is the Statistical Report for this year?*

See Statistics.

26.—*What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections as reported by the Conference Treasurer?*

$19,536.

27.—*What are the Claims on the Conference Funds?*

$5,000.

28.—*What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been applied?*

$4,297. See Report.

29.—*Where are the Preachers Stationed?*

See list of appointments.

30.—*Where shall the next Conference be held?*

McLeansboro, Ills.

LIST OF APPOINTMENTS.

The figures indicate the number of years in charge.

Alton District.

6 J. A. SCARRITT, P. E., Alton, Ill.

2 Alton..... F. L. Thomson
1 Bethalto, supplied by.. .....
.....G. L Dunnavan
1 Brighton.....W. A. Cross
2 Bunker Hill...G. W. Scawthon
2 Donnellson.....C. L. York
4 Edwardsville..... .....
.....W. E. Ravenscroft.
1 Elsah.....J. E. Burk
Fieldon.....to be supplied
2 Gillespie..... .....J. A. Hampton
Godfrey..... .....to be supplied
1 Grafton, supplied by.....
....Grant Groves
1 Jerseyville.....N. Crow
4 Kane.....J. A. Taylor
2 Litchfield.....M N. Powers
1 " Circuit supplied..
by.....Willis Patchen
2 New Douglas..... J. T. Huffman
4 Piasa..... .....J. L. Wylder
1 Shipman.....L. Cramp
1 Staunton.....E. E. Waggoner
1 Upper Alton .....J. A. Robinson

Lebanon District.

3 O. H. CLARK, P. E., Belleville, Ill.

1 Beaucoup.....H. H. Young
1 Belleville.....G. W. Shepherd
3 Carlyle.....J. D. Hennessey
2 Collinsville .....J. C. Orr
1 East St. Louis...R D. Woodley
1 Freeburg.....J. M. Adams
1 Greenville.....C. W. Bonner
1 Hagerstown.....Gye Park
2 Huey..... .....C. W Walton
1 Lebanon.....J. W. Locke
1 Mulberry Grove.....C. E. Baker
1 Nashville... .. J. W. McIntosh
1 Okawville, supplied by.....
....H. L. Davenport
4 Pocahontas.....Z. J. W. Farmer
1 Ramsey.....D. T. Harris
1 Shiloh..... .....G. A. Seed
2 Trenton ....C. D. Shumard
2 Troy..... .....N. D. Sweeney
1 Venice .....R. C. Houghton
2 Waterloo.....W. H. Neil
3 Wisetown.....A. Yingst

T. H. Herdman, Financial Agent; W. W. Edwards, Professor McKendree College, members of Lebanon Quarterly Conference.

Mt. Carmel District.

1 J. G. DEE, P. E., Carmi, Ill.

1 Belknap..... .....T. O. Holley
1 Carmi..... .....J. W. McNeil
Carriers Mills....to be supplied
1 Crossville, supplied by.....
.....J. P. Yungling
2 Dahlgren, supplied by.....
.....N. B. Hodson
2 Eddyville, supplied by.....
..... W. D. Margrave
1 Eldorado..... ....J. Y. Reid
2 Elizabethtown...W. R. Bradley
1 Enfield.....J. B. House
1 Epworth.....S. A. McIntosh
1 Equality, supplied by.....
.....N. Bascom
1 Golconda.....J. B. Cummins
1 Grayville .....R. E Pierce
1 Harrisburg..... ....D. Orr
1 Maunie, supplied by.....
....G. W. Landerdale
5 McLeansboro.....J. L. Wallar
2 " Ct...W. J. Hopper
1 Metropolis.....J. H. Jones
1 " Circuit.....J. H. Davis
1 Mill Shoals, supplied by...
....A. S. Jenkins
1 Mt. Carmel... .....J. F. Harmon
1 New Burnsides.....Theo. Cates
1 Norris City, S. S. Smith....
.....and W. C Wynant
2 Omaha..... .....C. L. Douthitt
2 Shawneetown.....J. G. Tucker
1 Vienna..... ....J. H. Ford
2 " Circuit.....J. R. Reef
1 Wayne City.....J. H. Bennett

Mt. Vernon District.

3 J. W. FLINT, P. E., Carbondale, Ill.

1 Anna.....B. S. Smith
3 Ashley .....L. J. Grantham
1 Benton.....N. Stauffer
1 Cairo .....F. M. VanTreese
1 Carbondale.....S. P. Groves
2 Carterville...Ressho Robertson
2 Chester and Palestine.....
.....L. S. Walker
3 Corinth.....J. C. Kinison
3 DuQuoin.....John Leeper
2 " Circuit...C. J. Pressley
3 Elco, supplied by D. W. Ashby
2 Frankfort..... .....J. K. Hunter
2 Jonesboro..... J. L. Hawk
2 Makanda..... .....L. Smith
1 Marion.....J. D. Crenshaw
3 Mound City..... .....E. Joy
2 Mt. Vernon.....J. W. VanCleve
3 " Circuit, Silas Green
3 Murphysboro.....A. J. Littell
2 Opdyke..... .....Asa Snell
1 Pinckneyville.....
.....W. A. Leatherman
1 Richview.....M. L. Cole
1 Sparta and Coulterville.....
....J. L. Cunningham
1 Spring Garden.....O. E. Laird
1 Steelville.....J. E. McKelvey
1 Tamaroa.....C. S. McCollom
1 Thebes.....W. McEllagood
1 Vergennes.....W. D. McIntosh
1 Villa Ridge..... .....Fred James

Olney District.

1 WM. WALLIS, P. E., Olney, Ill.

2 Albion.....Wm. Carson
1 " Ct. supplied by W. Weber
1 Belmont .....Greenlee Calvert
1 Bone Gap.....C. W. Sabine
1 Bridgeport.....W. Powers
1 Claremont, supplied by.....
.....J. W. Edmondson
2 Clay City.....C. D. Lingenfelter
1 Fairfield.....J. B. Ravenscroft
1 Flat Rock .....Wm. Tilroe
1 Flora.....D. C. Ridgway
1 Hutsonville .....J. T. Murken
1 Jeffersonville.....L. C. Wilkin
1 Lancaster ...A. W. Van Houten
1 Mt. Erie .....H. O. Hiser
1 Newton..... .....U. G. Johnston
3 " Circuit, E. M. Barringer
2 Noble.....W. H. Poole
1 Oblong.....A. J. Dewhirst
3 Olney..... ....C. Nash
2 Robinson.....J. W. Jackson
1 " Circuit supplied by
.....Isaiah Boatman
2 Sumner.....J. G. Harmon
1 " Circuit...W. L. Burkitt
1 West Liberty.....L. W. Porter
1 Willow Hill.....J. W. Tennyson

J. H. McGriff, Agent American Bible Society, and member Olney Quarterly Conference.

Vandalia District.

1 L. W. THRALL, P. E., Salem, Ill.

2 Alma.....A. Harris
3 Altamont..... ..... C. E. Bovard
1 Avena..... .....L. E. Cole
1 Centralia.....F. L. West
1 " Mission supplied by
....Wm. Bickers
2 Cisne, supplied by ....
....Ira G. Morrill
1 Effingham.....B. E. Pierce
1 Farina..... .....B. A. Hoar
2 Irvington.....S. E. Turner
1 Iuka.....D. R. Miller
2 Johnsonville .....
....Geo. N. Wilkerson
1 Kinmundy.....J. E. Nickerson
2 Louisville..... .A. H. Pitkin
2 Mason.....M. B. Baker
1 Moccasin.....D. J. Little
1 Montrose .....James Leavitt
1 Odin .....J. A. Leatherman
1 Patoka.....E. Barnes
3 Sailor Springs.....D. Shouse
1 St. Elmo.....W. T. Morris
1 Shobonier, supplied by.....
....P. W. Lockhard
2 Salem..... .....J. B. Thompson
1 Vandalia..... .....C. B. Besse
1 Walnut Hill..Littleton Hullett
1 Watson..... A. Vandaveer
1 Xenia..... .....D. W. Baker

C. A. Beckett, N. W. Atkins, G. E. McCammon, J. A. Large, Charles Virden, S. P. Young, W. G. Hale, O. F. Culver left without appointment to attend one of our schools.

JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY—Morning Session.

FLORA, ILLS., Sept. 27, 1893.

THE Southern Illinois Annual Conference convened for its Forty-second Session in the Methodist Episcopal Church, in Flora, Ills., at 8:30 A. M., September 27, 1893.

After a half-hour praise service, conducted by J. Leeper, J. A. Robinson, assisted by the Presiding Elders, administered the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

In the absence of Bishop Fowler, J. A. Robinson was elected Temporary Chairman, and called the Conference to order.

J. W. Van Cleve, Secretary of the Conference at its last session, called the roll, and the following members answered to their names:

Baker, C. E.
Barnes, E.
Barringer, E. M.
Baker, M. B.
Bonner, C. W.
Bradley, W. R.
Burk, C. N.
Burkitt, W. L.
Burk, J. E.
Clark, O. H.
Crenshaw, J. D.
Cullom, A. D.
Cramp, L.
Cole, M. L.
Cross, W. A.
Cunningham, J. L.
Cullom, G. W.
Cole, L. E.
Carson, W.
Davis, W. F.
Dee, J. G.
Dewhirst, A.
Earp, J.
Farmer, Z. J.
Flint, J. W.
Ford, J. H.
Gillham, J. D.
Greenlaw, A. L.
Hoar, B A.
House, J. B.
Huffman, J. T.
House, M.
Harris, D. T.
Hopper, W. J.
Jackson, J. W.
Joy, E.
Jones, J. H.
Johnston, U. G.
Keith, H. H.
Keisling, W.
Kinison, J. C.
Locke, J. W.
Leatherman, J. A.
Leatherman, W.
Leeper, J.
Lingenfelter, C. D.
Little, D. J.
Maddux, J. W.
McGriff, J. H.
McIntosh, S. A.
McIntosh, J. W.
McMorrow, J. W.
McNeill, J. W.
Manifold, H.
Murken, J. T.
Morris, W. T.
Powers, M. N.
Powis, W.
Ransom, A.
Ravenscroft, J. B.
Reid, J. Y.
Robinson, J. A.
Sabine, C. W.
Scarritt, J. A.
Scawthon, G. W.
Seed, G. A.
Shepherd, G. W.
Shumard, C. D.
Smith, B. S.
Smith, L.
Snell, A.
Stauffer, N.
Sale, C. E
Taylor, J. A.
Tennyson, J. W.
Thompson, J. B.
Thomson, F L.
Thrall, L. W.
Tilroe, W.
Turner, S. E.
Vandaveer, A.
Van Treese, F. M.
Van Houten, A. W.
Waggoner, G. W.

Groves, S. P.
Green, S.
Harris, A.
Harmon, J. F.
Harmon, J. G.
Harper, L. A.
Hawk, J. L.
Hennessey, J. D.
Herdman, T. H.
Nickerson, J. E.
Nash, C.
Nall, J. W.
Orr, D.
Orr, J. C.
Pearce, J.
Pierce, B. R.
Pierce, R. E
Poole, W. H.
Walker, L. S.
Walker, S.
Wallar, J. L.
Wallis, W.
West, F. L.
Woodley, R. D.
Yingst, A.
Young, S. P.

PROBATIONERS.

Hiser, H. O.
Grantham, L. J.
Waggoner, E. E.
Douthit, C. F.
Cummins, J. B.
Hunter, John K.
McCammon, G. E.
McIntosh, W. D.
Pierce, S.
Pitkin, A. H.
Baker, D. W.
Shouse, D.
Large, J. A.
Laird, O. E.
Robinson, R.
McKelvey, J. E.
Culver, O. E.
Holley, T. O.
Neill, W. H.
Smith, S. S.
Walton, W. C.
Miller, D. R.
McCullom, C. S.
Randle, G. W.
Sweeney, N. D.

The Rules of Order and the Standing Resolutions governing last Conference were adopted for the government of this.

J. W. Van Cleve was elected Secretary, who selected as his assistants F. L. West, J. C. Kinison and U. G. Johnston.

J. G. Dee was elected Statistical Secretary, who selected J. Y. Reid, H. O. Hiser, C. D. Shumard, J. D. Hennesey, D. Orr, J. G. Harmon as assistants.

Wm. Leatherman was elected Treasurer, and nominated as assistants W. Carson, W. H. Poole and A. H. Pitkin.

The report of the Committee on Standing Committees was presented and adopted.

The bar of Conference was by vote fixed at the rear of the fourth window.

At call of Statistical Secretary, reports were collected.

Upon request of Wm. Leatherman, J. G. Harmon was excused from statistical work to serve as Assistant Treasurer, and his place filled by M. B. Baker.

Rev. Dr. M. S. Hard, representing the Church Extension Society, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

At 11:00 A. M. Bishop C. H. Fowler arrived, and took the chair.

QUESTION XIII. *Was the Character of each preacher examined?*

The Thirteenth Question was called. After passage of his character, J. A. Scarritt, Presiding Elder of Alton District, reported his work. After passage of their characters, the following elders reported their Missionary and Conference Claimants Collections: F. L. Thomson, J. A. Robinson, G. W. Scawthon, J. Earp, M. N. Powers, J. T. Huffman and W. A. Cross.

After passage of his character, O. H. Clark, Presiding Elder of Lebanon District, reported his district. After passage of their characters, the following elders reported their Missionary and Conference Claimant Collections: R. D. Woodley, J. D. Hennessey, F. L. West, J. W. McIntosh, L. W. Thrall, L. Cramp, G. A. Seed, A. W. Van Houten, C. W. Bonner, C. D. Shumard, J. C. Orr, Adam Yingst, T. H. Herdman, W. W. Edwards and E. C. Ferguson.

Upon motion of his Presiding Elder, W. B. Bruner was granted a superannuated relation.

The Conference instructed J. D. Gillham to turn over to the Presiding Elder of Lebanon District, O. H. Clark, certain monumental funds in his hands amounting to fifty dollars, to be used in purchase of a tombstone for C. M. Holliday, when proper conditions shall have been complied with.

J. P. Odgers, of Rock River Conference, representing the interests of Wesley Hospital, addressed the Conference.

A committee consisting of M. N. Powers, J. L. Wallar and J. W. Locke, was appointed to confer with Bro. Odgers relative to the interests of Wesley Hospital.

J. E. Nickerson was appointed to solicit subscriptions for the *Methodist Review*.

A draft of $25.00 on the Chartered Fund and one of $1,402 on the Book Concern, were ordered.

The sum of $1,179 was asked for the Episcopal Fund, and the matter referred to the Presiding Elders for apportionment.

Dr. Curts, of the Book Concern, was introduced, and presented our publishing interests.

A committee consisting of W. E. Ravenscroft, John Leeper, J. B. Thompson, J. F Harmon, J. W. Jackson and R. D. Woodley, was appointed to confer with our book agents, and give aid in collections.

Friday morning at 9:30 was the hour fixed upon for the reception of probationers in full connection.

The list of committees was read and announcements made, and after remarks by the Bishop and the singing of the doxology, the Conference adjourned with the benediction.

SECOND DAY—Morning Session.

September 28, 1893.

After devotional exercises, led by C. W. Bonner, the Conference was called to order at 9 o'clock by Bishop Fowler.

The character of C. N. Burk, an Elder of Alton District, was passed, after which he reported his collections.

QUESTION XIII. The Thirteenth Question was resumed. J. B. Ravenscroft, Presiding Elder of Mt. Carmel District, after passage of his character, reported his District.

After passage of their characters, the following Elders personally or through their Presiding Elder reported their collections: J. G. Dee, J. W. McNeill, W. R. Bradley, L. E. Cole, J. Y. Reid, J. H. Ford, D. Orr, J. H. Jones, N. Stauffer, J. L. Wallar, J. T. Harmon, R. E. Pierce, C. E. Royse and J. R. Reef. Also character of J. H. Bennett was passed, but no report was made.

J. W. Flint, Presiding Elder of Mt. Vernon District, after passage of his character, reported his District. The following Elders of this District reported their collections after their characters had been passed: J. A. Leatherman, S. P. Groves, Wm. Wallis, L. S. Walker, John Leeper, J. L. Hawk, E. Joy, J. W. Van Cleve, Silas Green, A. Snell, B. S. Smith, J. L. Cunningham and J. D. Crenshaw. J. W. Brittoin was reported transferred to the Missouri Conference.

Upon request of Wm. Leatherman, the Conference appointed L. J. Grantham and W. H. Porter as Assistant Treasurers.

Olney District was next called, and in the absence of the Presiding Elder, Wm. Van Cleve, on account of sickness, after the passage of his character, his report was read by J. W. Van Cleve.

The following Elders, after passage of their characters, reported: A. J. Dewhirst, Wm. Powis, S. A. McIntosh, J. T. Murken, G. W. Shepherd, J. W. Locke, Wm. Tilroe, J. H. McGriff, C. D. Lingenfelter, C. W. Sabine, E. W. Barringer, C. Nash, J. W. Jackson J. G. Harmon, Greenlee Calvert and W. L. Burkitt.

Vandalia District was called, and after passage of his character, F. M. Van Treese, Presiding Elder, reported his District. After his report E. Barnes, in behalf of the preachers of Vandalia District, presented him with a gold-headed cane, and the Bishop in behalf of the same body of preachers presented him with a gold watch.

The following Elders of this District, after passage of their characters, reported: A. Harris, C. E. Bovard, D. J. Little, J. D. Gillham, C. B. Besse, Wm. Leatherman, A. Vandaveer, M. B. Baker, B. A. Hoar, W. T. Morris, J. E. Nickerson, J. B. Thompson, B. R. Pierce, W. G. Hale, H. Manifold and E. Barnes.

J. D. Gillham was granted a supernumerary relation. H. Manifold was granted a superannuated relation and his case referred to the Board of Stewards.

QUESTION XI. The Class of the Fourth Year was called. The following, after passage of their characters, representation by examination committee and their Presiding Elder, were elected to Elders' orders: Wm. Carson, D. T. Harris, J. C. Kinison, U. G. Johnston and Z. J. W. Farmer. C. E. Sale was passed from Fourth Year after passage of character.

C. E. Bovard was not present. S. E. Turner, W. Keisling, M. L. Cole and A. Vandaveer were not before the committee. Their characters were passed and they continued in the same class.

QUESTION V. (a) In studies of Fourth Year. The class of the Third Year was called. The following, after reporting and representation by Presiding Elder and examining committee, were advanced to class of the Fourth Year: J. A. Taylor, J. W. Tennyson, W. H. Poole, Lawrence Smith, C. E. Baker, Wm. J. Hopper and J. E. Burk (who was instructed to bring up delinquent work).

The character of S. P. Young was passed, and he continued in class of Third year and left without appointment. Chas. E. Virden, after passage of character, was continued in Third Year. J. W. Maddux, after passage of his character, was continued in class of Third year, and granted a supernumerary relation.

QUESTION V. (b) In studies of Second Year. The class of the First Year was called. The following were represented by Presiding Elder and examining committee, continued on trial, and passed to class of Second year: J. A. Large (conditional in Exegesis), O. E. Laird, Ressho Robertson, C. J. Pressley (conditional in Exegesis, General History and Sermon), J. E. McKelvey (conditional in Exegesis), O. F. Culver (left without appointment to attend McKendree College), T. O. Holly, W. H. Neil, W. C. Walton and D. R. Miller. The following were represented by Presiding Elder, their characters passed, and they not being before the committee, were continued in class of First Year: S. S. Smith, G. W. Randle, C. S. McCullom, N. D. Sweeney.

QUESTION XXIII. *Who are Superannuated Preachers?* The following superannuated preachers, after passage of their characters, were continued in that relation: R. W. Laughlin, W. F. Davis, G. W. Waggoner, F. O. Blair, C. Mapes, D. Oglesby, M. House, A. Bliss, J. P. Dew, D. Elam, G. W. Cullom, R. Randle, M. L. King, J. P. Rutherford, J. W. Nall, A. Ransom, J. Weeden, J. W. Franklin, J. J. Boyer, L. A. Harper, T. A. Eaton, J. A. Thrapp, V. D. Lingenfelter, W. McMorrow, H. H. Keith and Robert Allyn. H. Sears was granted a supernumerary relation, and his case was referred to the committee on Conference Relations for adjustment.

The Bishop addressed the Conference relative to superannuated preachers.

Rev. Dr. J. W. E. Bowen, Field Agent of the Missionary Society, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Mr. Solomon Thatcher, of Chicago, was introduced, and spoke in reference to the Bishop Simpson monument, to be erected in Chicago.

A committee consisting of F. L. Thomson, L. Cramp, J. W. McNeill, J. L. Cunningham, C. W. Sabine, B. A. Hoar, was appointed to confer with Bro. Thatcher in regard to a plan for raising funds for erection of said monument. Time was extended and E. G. Smith, representing the American Bible Society, addressed the Conference.

After announcements, Conference adjourned with benediction by the Bishop.

THIRD DAY—Friday Morning.

September 29, 1893.

After devotional exercises led by L. S. Walker, the Conference was called to order at 9 o'clock by Bishop Fowler.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read, and after corrections, approved.

J. W. Phillips was reported as being restored by action of Judicial Conference to his Conference in an effective relation. He was granted a location at his own request.

The relation of R. E. Pierce was changed from supernumerary to effective.

The commissioners of the Songer Endowment Fund were instructed to place the net assets of this fund into the hands of the Conference Board of Stewards to be held in trust as a permanent fund.

QUESTION XXII. *Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?* The following supernumerary preachers, after passage of their characters, were continued in the same relation: G. M. Whitsell, J. D. Reeder, N. B. Cooksey, Samuel Walker, J. W. Field, T. J. Davis, A. D. Cullom, J. B. House, A. L. Greenlaw, J. P. Yungling and J. W. Maddux.

J. S. Sproul was announced withdrawn.

At 9:30 the order of the day was taken up. The class for admission was called forward and addressed by the Bishop.

QUESTION VIII. *What members are in studies of Third Year?* After reporting their collections and representation by examination committee and Presiding Elder, the following were admitted into full connection and elected to Deacons' orders: H. H. Young, J. B. Cummins, Geo. E. McCammon, J. K. Hunter, W. D. McIntosh, A. H. Pitkin, D. Shouse, D. W. Baker, H. O. Hiser. E. E. Waggoner, and L. C. Wilkin being already Deacons, were, after representation and passage of character, passed in their studies and admitted into full connection. The same action was taken in the case of L. J. Grantham, who is already an Elder.

QUESTION XI. (b) The character of Samuel Pierce was passed, and after representation, was admitted into full connection and elected to Deacons' orders and to Elders' orders under the Missionary Rule.

The character of A. H. Pitkin was passed, he continued in the class of Second Year and left without appointment to attend school.

A. J. Littell was not before the committee. His character was passed and he continued in the same class.

Dr. J. B. Young, editor of the *Central Christian Advocate*, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Dr. J. M. Freeman, representing the Sunday-school Union and Tract Society, was introduced, and spoke in the interests of these causes.

After announcements, Conference adjourned until 2 P. M., then to reassemble for Memorial services.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference reassembled at 2 P. M. to enter upon a Memorial Service, and called to order by J. D. Gillham. J. A. Robinson conducted devotional exercises.

QUESTION XIV. *Who have died?* A memoir of W. T. Brannum was read by Wm. Leatherman; of E. Root, by L. Cramp; of J. S. Carr, by F. L. Thomson; of L. Casey, by J. D. Gillham; of Sister Cullom, by L. A. Harper; of Sister Smith, by J. G. Dee; and of Sister Richardson, by J. D. Gillham.

Remarks were made by L. S. Walker, J. A. Robinson, R. W. Laughlin, J. W. Locke, J. D. Gillham, F. H. Herdman, F. L. Thomson, E. Joy, C. D. Lingenfelter, L. Cramp, C. W. Bonner, B. R. Pierce, W. F. Davis, S. E. Turner, J. W. Nall, D. J. Little, J. L. Cunningham, B. A. Hoar, M. L. King, E. Barnes and J. B. Thompson.

Conference adjourned with benediction.

FOURTH DAY—Morning Session.

September 30, 1893.

After devotional exercises, led by S. P. Groves, the Bishop called the Conference to order at 9 o'clock.

The Minutes were read, corrected and adopted.

QUESTION XI. (a) Was called.

Joel Brown, a Local Preacher, was elected to Local Deacon's Orders.

The Board of Stewards presented their report, which was re-committed.

A public collection was ordered placed into the hands of the Conference Stewards for disposal.

Geo. W. Webber was elected to Deacon's Orders.

QUESTION IV. (a) The following, after representation and report of Examining Committee and satisfactorily answering disciplinary questions, were admitted on trial: F. M. James, (condition on essay and sermon), J. W.

Cummings, (left without appointment to attend school), L. W. Porter, J. W. Levitt, L. Hullett, C. W. Wynant and Geo. N. Wilkerson.

The transfer of J. M. Adams from the Kentucky Conference was announced and admitted to class of first year.

The report of the Stewards was re-submitted and adopted.

The orders of L. Hullett as an Elder of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, were recognized.

It was unanimously decided to hold the next session of the Conference at McLeansboro.

The report of the Committee on Boundary between Illinois and Southern Illinois Conferences was adopted and approved. (See report.)

The reports of the Committees on Sunday Schools, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Tracts and Epworth League, and on Wesley Hospital, were presented and adopted. (See report.)

J. D. Reeder was granted a location at his own request.

The Bishop was requested to appoint J. H. McGriff to the work of the Bible Society in Illinois.

A plan of Conference Examinations, proposed by F. L. West, was referred to a committee consisting of F. L. West, J. W. Van Cleve and T. H. Herdman, with instructions to report before Conference adjourns.

C. N. Burk was granted a location at his own request.

On motion of J. A. Scarritt, J. Earp was granted a superannuated relation.

The relation of C E. Sale was changed from effective to supernumerary.

T. J. Davis was granted a location at his own request.

The Committees on Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society, on Temperance, on Sabbath Observance, on Church Extension and on Education, were presented and adopted.

On adoption of the report on Education, Bishop Fowler addressed the Conference upon the subject of a collegiate education. He most heartily endorsed McKendree College.

QUESTION II. Theodore Cates was admitted on trial.

Mr. Solomon Thatcher addressed the Conference concerning Bishop Simpson's statue.

The orders of Willis Patchen, an elder in the Presbyterian Church, were recognized.

On motion of O. H. Clark, Conference ordered a session at 3:30 to-day for completion of business.

Dr. Hartzell, representing the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Time was extended.

A circular, presented by the Bishop from the Missionary Society, asking the repeal of the Geary Law, was endorsed.

The apportionment to this Conference for Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society was requested by Dr. Hartzell, to be included in report of Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Committee's report. The request was granted.

The action by which the report of Stewards was adopted was re-considered, and the report re-committed.

Conference adjourned with benediction by the Bishop.

FOURTH DAY—Afternoon Session.

SATURDAY, September 30, 1893.

At 3:30 the Conference was called to order by J. D. Gillham, who, by request of the Bishop, occupied the chair.

The Board of Stewards presented its report, which was adopted, and the funds distributed, as follows:

Receipts—

From Book Concern		$1,402 00
"	Chartered Fund	25 00
"	Mt. Carmel District Advocate	4 00
"	Special Collection in Tent	12 50
"	Collections	2,853 50
	Total	$4,297 00

We recommend the following disbursements:

Mrs. J. B. Reynolds, taken by J. W. Van Cleve	$ 175 00
Rev. G. W. Waggoner, taken by N. Crow	150 00
Rev. M. House, taken by L. W. Thrall	175 00
Mrs. E. L. English, taken by J. W. Jackson	200 00
Mrs. G. W. Robbins, taken by J. W. Van Cleve	100 00
Rev. Richard Randle, taken by J. A. Robinson	125 00
Rev. J. W. Nall, taken by self	195 00
Mrs. J. Thatcher, taken by L. Cramp	75 00
Rev. M. L. King, taken by self	125 00
Mrs. J. Glaze, taken by J. Leeper	100 00
Mrs. C J. T. Tolle, taken by W. T. Morris	175 00
Rev. G. W. Cullom, taken by self	150 00
Rev. J. P. Rutherford, taken by C. E. Baker	90 00
Rev. R. W. Laughlin, taken by self	50 00
Mrs. C. J. Houts, taken by J. F. Harmon	90 00
Mrs. L. S. Clifford, taken by J. H. Ford	75 00
Mrs. O. V. Jones, taken by L. Cramp	50 00
Mrs. G. W. Farmer, taken by G. A. Seed	75 00
Mrs. A. L. Downey, taken by A. Snell	150 00
Mrs. Norman Allyn	100 00
Mrs. R. J. Nall, taken by S. P. Groves	150 00
Mrs P. P. Hamilton, taken by J. Leeper	100 00
Rev. D. Elam, taken by C. E. Baker	25 00
Mrs. E. Root, taken by self	100 00
Rev. A. Ransom, taken by self	100 00
Mrs. D. Caughlin, taken by F. L. West	75 00
Miss Ollie Shepherd, taken by J. W. McNeill	50 00
Mrs. A. Campbell, taken by J. W. Van Cleve	75 00
Rev. L. A. Harper, taken by self	100 00
Rev. J. W. Franklin, taken by J. Leeper	100 00
Rev. J. J. Boyer, taken by E. Barnes	52 00
Rev. W. F. Davis, taken by self	195 00
Rev. Wm. McMorrow, taken by self	100 00
Rev. J. A. Thrapp, taken by self	200 00
Rev. V. D. Lingenfelter, taken by self	100 00
Rev. T. A. Eaton, taken by L. Cramp	75 00

(And Conference Love Feast Collection.)

Rev. H. H. Keith, taken by self	25 00
Mrs. L. Casey, taken by self	75 00
Mrs. W. T. Brannum, taken by self	50 00
Rev. H. Manifold, taken by self	100 00
Mrs. C. Babbitt, taken by J. D. Gillham	25 00
Total	$4,297 00

It is the judgment of the Board that the sum of $5,000 be raised next year.

S. P. Groves and W Wallis are nominated for re-election as members of the Board, to serve three years.

Respectfully submitted,

L. W. THRALL, *Secretary.*

Wm. Wallis presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, The list of Conference Claimants in this Conference is a long one for a Conference of our size; and,

WHEREAS, There are at the present in our effective ranks a number of venerable men who must soon retire; therefore,

Resolved, That to protect that class of men who have given their lives to the work of the ministry within our bounds, we hereby resolve that no man should be admitted on trial who is more than thirty-five years of age.

WM. WALLIS,
B. R. PIERCE,
JOHN LEEPER,
S. P. GROVES.
L. W. THRALL,
J. B. THOMPSON.

This resolution was made one of the standing rules.

The Statistical Secretary made his report, which was adopted.

The report of special committee on Plan of Conference Examinations was made, and rejected.

Question II. was resumed, and Gye Park was admitted on trial to Class of First Year.

The report of Committee on Conference District Journals was adopted.

The transfer of E. C. Ferguson to the Holston Conference was announced.

John Pierce was granted a location at his own request.

W. G. Hale and Chas. Virden were left without appointment to attend school.

The relation of J. B. House was changed from supernumerary to effective.

The report of Committee on Bible Society was presented, and adopted.

On motion of J. B. House, J. W. Van Cleve was elected publisher of the Minutes of next session.

The Secretary of the Presiding Elders presented nominations and appointments, which were confirmed.

On request of C. Nash, W. Van Cleve was granted a superannuated relation.

Reports of Committee on Class Meetings, of Custodian of Conference Educational Fund and of Financial Agent of McKendree College, were made, and adopted.

A suitable book for recording Conference examinations was ordered, and F. M. Van Treese appointed Conference Registrar.

L. W. Thrall presented the following resolutions of thanks, which were adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference are tendered to Rev. Dr. Locke and the church and people of Flora for the hospitable entertainment given this Conference. To the Secretaries for their patient and painstaking work, to the Treasurers, and to our beloved Bishop for his excellent administration, and for his earnest and inspiring words.

It was decided that upon approval of Minutes, ordination of Deacons and Elders, and reading the appointments, that the Conference stand adjourned.

A collection to defray Conference expenses was taken, amounting to $27.85.

The doxology was sung and the benediction pronounced.

CERTIFICATES OF ORDINATIONS.

This certifies that I have this day ordained to the order of Deacon:

Hiram H. Young,	Jason B. Cummins,
John K. Hunter,	George E. McCammon,
William D. McIntosh,	Samuel Pierce,
Alfred H. Pitkin,	Douglas Shouse,
David W. Baker,	Henry O. Hiser.
Joel Brown,	George W. Webber.

And that, assisted by several Elders, I have also ordained to the order of Elder:

William Carson,	David T. Harris,
Josiah C. Kinison,	Ulysses G. Johnston,
Zelah J. Farmer,	Samuel Pierce.

Done at Flora, Ill., Oct. 1, 1893.

C. H FOWLER.

MEMOIRS.

Rev. L. Casey.

Rev. L. Casey was born in Jefferson county, Ill., near Mt. Vernon, March 24, 1825, and was converted in 1851. He married Miss Eleanor M. Harrold March 24, 1847. Bro. Casey was twice married, his first wife having shared with him the toils and cares of the itinerant life for about twenty-two years, dying September 11th, 1876. He married Mrs. Louisa Musgrave, Dec. 25, 1885. Bro. Casey died at his home March 19, 1893. He was admitted to the Southern Illinois Conference on trial in the fall of 1854, ordained deacon at Lebanon by Bishop Scott in 1857, and elder at Richview by Bishop Ames in 1859. He closed his thirty-eighth year in the ministry last fall, and was granted a superannuated relation at his own request. He served twenty-eight charges in the thirty-eight years of his ministry. He was abundant in labors. He always did good work wherever he went. Many souls have been converted through his instrumentality. He always went to his charges cheerfully and uncomplainingly, and had a host of warm and admiring friends in the fields of labor he has served.

Rev. Jerome S. Carr.

Jerome S. Carr was born at Marlboro, O., in 1849, and died at Litchfield, Ill., March 4, 1892. He was licensed to preach at Reading, Michigan, 1872. He worked as a supply both in the North Indiana and Cincinnati Conferences. He was ordained deacon in 1885. After supplying Wanda and Litchfield circuits in the Southern Illinois Conference he was received on trial, dying the next year. His last text was: "For me to live is Christ, and to die is gain."

Mrs. Lois M. Smith.

Lois M. Foster was born in Carmi, Ill., Jan. 19, 1868. She was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1884, was maried to Rev. S. S. Smith Sept. 6, 1882, and died at the M. E. parsonage at Belknap, Ill., May 10, 1893. She was a faithful and efficient Sunday-school teacher, and a loyal and helpful Epworth League worker. She was a true womanly Christian, and had all the qualifications to grace the home and encourage the heart of an itinerant Methodist preacher, and in her brief experience as minister's wife showed her ability to win and hold the affection and support of the people among whom her lot was cast.

Mrs. Jane C. Richardson.

Jane C. Jubb, wife of the late J. I. Richardson, of the Southern Illinois Conference, was born in Beckingham, England, May 13, 1823, and died in Centralia, Ill., Dec. 16, 1892. At the age of sixteen years she was converted and joined the church. She was twice married, first to Rev. John Hopkins, in England, when she was twenty-three years of age. For a time he was in the active work of the ministry. He died in Central City, Southern Illinois Conference. Her second marriage was to Rev. J. I. Richardson, of the Southern Illinois Conference, April 3, 1856. She was a true and faithful wife, and cheerfully shared with him the privations, suffering and toils of the itinerant life for nearly twenty years, he dying in 1872.

Mrs. M. J. Cullom.

Miriam Julia Mann was born Dec. 18, 1824. She united with the Church and was converted in early childhood. She married Rev. G. W. Cullom Feb. 24, 1846. There were born to them seven children, four of whom are living; two of them are traveling ministers in the Methodist Episcopal Church. She died of apoplexy, in Avena, Ill., June 29, 1893. The life of Mrs. Cullom was exemplary. She shared the privations, trials and sacrifices of the itinerancy along with her husband for many years.

Rev. W. T. Brannum.

Rev. William Thomas Brannum, a member of the Southern Illinois Conference, was born in Fayetteville, St. Clair County, Ill., and died in Kinmundy, Ill., Dec. 5, 1892, in his fifty-fifth year. He married Miss Margaret Ward July 29, 1858. She died Aug. 4, 1863. He was married the second time to Miss Sarah J. Scott, his now bereaved companion, on Jan. 17, 1864.

Bro. Brannum joined the Methodist Episcopal Church when about twelve years old, but was not converted until about the age of nineteen. The influence thrown around him in his youth was pure and good. His father was a leading member of the Church, filling the office of class leader and stewart for years He was licensed as a local preacher in 1868, ordained local deacon at Mt. Vernon, Oct. 6th, 1872, by Bishop Bowman, and ordained local elder at Salem, Sept. 14, 1879, by Bishop Andrews. As a local preacher he was very efficient in holding revival meetings and doing other unpaid Church work. His ability and faithfulness were recognized by his Presiding Elder, and he served the Church very effectually as a supply. He served Okawville from 1880 to 1883, and Beaucoup from 1883 to 1886. In 1885 he was admitted on trial. He was appointed to Irvington charge in the fall of 1886, and remained two years, and in 1888 was appointed to Kinmundy. He was admitted into full connection in the Southern Illinois Conference in the year 1888.

Rev. E. Root.

Edmund Root was born in Virginia April 23, 1832. From thence his parents moved, when he was six years old, to Edwards county, Ill., where he resided until he entered the pastoral work in 1869. When the struggle for national unity began his voice and vote was for the Union. He enlisted in the 152d Illinois Infantry, from which he was, at the close of the war, honorably discharged. Bro. Root was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, on the Albion Circuit, Sept. 3, 1849. From the God of his youth he never strayed, but remained steadfast until the end. When he and Mary Ann Rhoads were united in wedlock Oct. 31, 1850, a happy life relation began that forty-three years have attested in joy and sorrow. Bro. Root was licensed to exhort in 1851, and to preach in 1866; ordained Deacon by Bishop Scott in 1871, and Elder in 1881 by Bishop Hurst. He was appointed as supply to the Grayville charge in 1869. The three years following he was engaged in merchandising in Olney, Illinois. He entered the itinerant ranks in the Southern Illinois Conference on probation in 1873, and into full connection in 1875. In 1889 he took the superannuated relation. During all these years from 1873 to 1889 he and his companion patiently and faithfully performed the work of the itineracy, receiving as compensation salaries that required strict economy. He served a class of charges that were not desirable either in labor or support, and yet without murmur. His last days were spent in fitting up the little home where he expected to close his life in a little ease so richly deserved. A heavenly mansion was prepared for his reception, and the summons came at five o'clock August 17, 1893.

REPORTS.

PASTORAL ADDRESS.

Dearly Beloved Brothers and Sisters:—The Heavenly Father, in His merciful providence, once more permits us to address to you words of encouragement, of comfort and of exhortation; and we desire that you unite with us in devout thanksgiving and adoration for the abundance of God's infinite mercies. A large ingathering of souls and a manifest quickening of all the Christian graces among our members call for praise and renewed consecration. It is particularly pertinent that we set our hearts to ask for a large increase of personal piety in the soul of every one who professes to believe in the indwelling of the Divine Savior. Earnest faith, ever witnessed by the Holy Ghost, should be the longing of each child of God. Every moment we need the application of the pardoning blood of Jesus and each day should bring to your lives the full realization of the blessed assurance that your sacrifice has been graciously accepted.

But this personal piety is to be made the basis for family consecration. Yourselves and your families should be dedicated to God, and you as high priests at the holy altar should keep the living fire sprinkled with the incense of prayer, continually burning upon that altar. Every child ought to be given to God, and you, neither father, mother, nor child itself, should rest till Jehovah has fulfilled His promise, that you and your seed after you shall be taken into His blessed covenant of grace. Morning and evening devotions, devout thanks at every meal should be as certain in your household as the daily coming of the light. We are aware that some of you may say that you are not endowed with gift of words to express your thoughts by vocal praise and prayer in an appropriate manner. Then use the Lord's prayer. It was recommended by the Savior himself and it will never grow old and stale. Be not afraid to repeat it in the spirit of devotion. And do not forget that the simplest words are the best after all when you attempt to speak to the Father in Heaven. To pray any where, but particularly in your own family, it wants only sincere thoughtfulness and a penitent and grateful soul. Neglect not this great privilege of family devotion. Teach your children to take a part in your family devotions. There, of all places in the world, be gentle, be loving, be truthful, kind, generous, and noble, like Christ himself, who pleased not himself but in all things sought the welfare and the

happiness of others. Teach both by precept and example every child whom God has bestowed on you as His most precious gift, and see to it that he has been instructed and practiced in all the gentle virtues, not only of truthful and honest speech and fair dealing; but also the sweetest, tenderest, most loving behavior We beseech you to make yourselves and your children intelligent, devout, generous, helpful, earnest, liberal and noble in all the duties and graces of Christian life.

Also let it be your ambition to become yourselves and to form for your offspring the model of an unremitting discharge of all the public acts of religious worship and service; attendance on the ordinances of the Lord's day and house, and conscientious scrupulousness in making fair contributions to sustain all the enterprises of the church and her benevolences. Let all "your estimations" for these duties be according to "the shekel of the sanctuary." But we further exhort that you seek with an honest regard to the interests of the righteous requirements of the gospel, to peform the civil duties laid upon you, as on all the inhabitants of this highly favored republic. Among other duties imposed on you and which seem specially imperative at the present time, none are more pressing than that of protecting our public schools from two dangers that menace them from different sides—a total disregard of the law of God, and the designs of a foreign ecclesiastical despotism. It certainly is obligatory on all lovers of the country to preserve its life against the common infidelity and anarchy of the times, and from that supercilious priestcraft which, by its teachings of a false standard of morality, emphasized and practiced by celibate brotherhoods and sisterhoods, inculcates a degrading idea of woman's virtue, and which seeks to dominate the thought and practice of the age by a system of medieval bigotry. Let us maintain full liberty of inquiry and action, but let us also be careful to avoid a loose and irresponsible, reckless tendency to such a freedom as may easily degenerate into license. Above all things let us honor the Sabbath day as one of the greatest blessings which our religious freedom has secured to us; and never let us allow any plea of secular gain or selfish convenience to diminish its sacredness and impair the obligation to observe it as a most blessed opportunity for rest, refreshment and worship.

We earnestly urge you, dear brethren and sisters, to remember the various benevolent enterprises of the Church by which we are enabled to connect ourselves with all the progressive movements of the age, and thus to prove that we are citizens of the whole world and servants of the Lord Jesus Christ. By giving a trifle to the general funds of the Church we aid in doing the will of the Father, and we are working as He Himself and his Son have been working, for the well-being of the race of mankind. The small sum of one dollar a year from every member of the Church for a single decade would convert the world to the gospel of our Savior. Do not forget that nearly every one can, with scarcely a studied sacrifice, give this pittance and

those who already are giving more would swell our contributions to more than double the customary amount. Shall we not then make a little retrenchment of luxury, and possibly something of convenience, in order to honor the Master and give to His cause a new impulse in the direction in which events seem to be moving to convert the heathen to the dominion of our blessed Lord?

The Bountiful Giver of mercies has kindly furnished you advantages. He has preserved you from the vices of the times, and these vices, you know, are the most costly of all the demands which the world exacts of its votaries. Your religion itself inculcates economy, and this provides you a financial basis for returning back to God some substantial tokens of your devout gratitude to Him and an assurance of your good will and a pledge of your faithfulness in the future. Let your thankfulness for having been preserved from sin be shown by your willingness to return a portion of your accumulations into His treasury, and let this portion be conscientiously ascertained and cheerfully bestowed, with gratefulness even, and with abundant prayer that it may be accepted and blessed to the givers and to the causes for which it was intended.

In conclusion, suffer us, your pastors set to watch over the flock of the Redeemer, to exhort you that you strive with all prayer and supplication to make yourselves such earnest, conscientious, charitable, enterprising Christians as the word of God has provided for, and as He calls into His vineyard to sow for Him and in due time to reap those wonderful harvests which His grace is ripening in so many and such various fields everywhere. Make it your motto and your hourly business to assist in every good work and to enable the Church to conquer the forces of nature and the hearts of men for God and the right. And we pray that the wisdom and love of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ may guide you and inspire you to do all of His most blessed will.

R. Allyn,
C. Nash,
Wm. Tilroe.

EDUCATION.

McKENDREE COLLEGE.

Your committee would respectfully report that we have received, considered and incorporated with our work the report of the EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF MCKENDREE COLLEGE, which is as follows:

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF MCKENDREE COLLEGE.

DEAR BRETHREN:—Under the blessing of God McKendree College has, since your last session, successfully completed the work of one collegiate year, and auspiciously entered upon that of another. The enrollment of last year was unusually large, and, despite the financial stringency affecting all avenues of trade and all classes of society, the enrollment of the year just opening bids fair to equal, or surpass, that of last year.

Financially the Institution has prospered. The income of the college has been sufficient to defray all current expenses. The indebtedness has been reduced $1,000, and the interest and insurance have been paid. By action of the Joint Board, at its last session, it is provided that in no case shall the expenditures of the Institute exceed the income. Thus is the college placed upon a sound financial basis, which will encourage advancement and render it permanent.

We call attention to the increased facilities for effective work along every line, resulting from: 1. The enlargement of the corps of instructors. 2. The development of the Law School so as to include a Night School at East St. Louis and a Correspondence Department. 3. The special attention given to Theological Post Graduates and non-resident work. 4. The union of the Reading Room and Library, open daily, and in charge of a competent librarian. 5. The transformation of the Study Hall into a Science Hall with space and apparatus for scientific experimentation; all of which materially contribute to efficiency and success of the Institution.

The past of McKendree College is secure. Her present is prosperous and buoyant with hope. There is but one question in regard to her future: "What shall be the measure of her success?" Does our Conference need a college in which to educate its ministers instead of sending them to other Conferences never to return, in which to develop the latent powers and Christian character of our young men and prepare them for lives of lofty purposes and noble achievements, in which to train our young women to adorn with grace the brightest positions in society, and to mold with culture and refinement the homes of our church? To secure these ends our people will even still more loyally rally to the support of McKendree College and in their sons and daughters read, in coming years, the grand history of this beneficent Institute.

M. L. BARR, President.

E. L. WAGGONER, Secretary.
Lebanon, Ill., Sept. 25, 1893.

We recommend in order to the reduction of the indebtedness incurred several years ago in carrying on the work of the Institution, an apportionment of $1,500 to the charges to be made at once by the Presiding Elders. That this amount may be realized we ask early and earnest effort on the part of pastors, either in connection with the work of the agent, or at their own instance. The debt, $4,000, once removed, the outlook to the enlargement of facilities and increase of endowment will be greatly brightened. We respectfully ask the Bishop to appoint T. H. Herdman as Financial Agent of McKendree College. We ask his election as Custodian of Conference Ministerial Educational Fund.

We recommend as Conference visitors:

J. B. Ravenscroft, B.R. Pierce,
F. L. West, N. Crow,
R. D. Woodley, G. A. Seed,
J. W. Locke, J. G. Dee,
J. W. Van Cleve.

As Alternates:

C. W. Bonner, J. B. House,
J. B. Thompson, M. N. Powers,
J. D. Hennessey, J. T. Harmon,
J. C. Orr, W. A. Leatherman,
F. L. Thomson.

HAYWARD COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

We have heard with pleasure of the successful work done by Hayward Collegiate Institute during the past year. We heartily endorse the school as a Methodist institution worthy of the patronage it enjoys.

We recommend as visitors to Hayward the pastors of Flora, Albion and Mt. Vernon charges.

GARRETT BIBLICAL INSTITUTE.

We regard Garrett Biblical Institute as a School of Theology well deserving our attention and patronage. We commend to this, or other Theological Schools under the direction of our Church, our young ministers who wish to supplement the instruction in theology received at McKendree, by a full course. We recommend as visitors to Garrett Rev. M. N. Powers, D.D., and Rev. W. Carson, and to De Pauw School of Theology, Rev. J. G. Harmon.

We trust that our ministers and members will give due encouragement to the education of the youth, using the public schools, the Sunday School, the Epworth League and all other appliances that will help the Christianization and Americanization of the generation that will soon have the control of the political and religious interests of our Great Republic.

T. H. HERDMAN, Chairman.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Recognizing the Epworth League as one of the most efficient agencies of the Church, we commend the yearly observance of an Epworth Anniversary on Wednesday evening of the Conference Session. We strongly urge the use of the pledge in all our chapters. We heartily approve the holding of an annual convention of Epworth League workers, such as was held at Mt. Vernon last August, and earnestly recommend the attendance of all Leaguers upon the same.

F. L. WEST, Chairman.

JOHN H. JONES, Secretary.

WESLEY HOSPITAL.

The committee appointed to confer with Rev. Joseph Odgers, Superintendent of Wesley Hospital, would respectfully recommend the following Conference action:

1. *Resolved*, That the Southern Illinois Conference has heard with interest the statement suggested by the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees of Wesley Hospital, Chicago, and that its plan of finances looking to the endowment of beds by Annual Conferences, is approved and commended to the favorable consideration of our people and churches.

2. *Resolved*, That this Annual Conference undertakes the endowment of a bed for one year, to be known as the Southern Illinois Conference Bed, and that collections and subscriptions be solicited from our churches amounting to $300.00 for that purpose; and that we invite Rev. Joseph Odgers, or other representative of the hospital, to visit the charges in our bounds, to aid in raising said amounts.

3. *Resolved*, That we will proceed to the election of one minister and one layman to represent this body in the Advisory Council of Wesley Hospital, which minister and layman shall serve as trustees for the Conference, if the charter is so changed as to admit such representation, before the next meeting of this Annual Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

M. N. POWERS,
J. L. WALLAR,
J. W. LOCKE.

CONFERENCE BOUNDARIES.

The joint Commission on boundary between the Illinois and Southern Illinois Conference, met in Beecher City, Illinois, November 15th, 1892, and organized by electing Rev. J. T. Orr, President, and B. A. Hoar, Secretary. A motion was passed recommending the following change in boundary, viz: As shown in Discipline, Ed. 1892, paragraph 517, (94.) See Discipline.

Southern Illinois Conference boundary: After the word Hillsboro, leaving it in the Illinois Conference, thence east through Fayette and Effingham counties &c., to read thence east to the north and along the line of Fayette and Effingham counties, leaving Holliday in Southern Illinois Conference, thence east to the north line of Jasper and Crawford counties to the Wabash River, so that the whole boundary will read thus:

¶ 517 (94). Southern Illinois Conference shall include that part of the State south of the following line, namely: Beginning at the Illinois River, thence up said river to the northwest corner of Jersey County, including Kane and Woodbury, thence to Honey Point, thence to Hillsboro, leaving it in Illinois Conference, thence east to the north and along the line of Fayette and Effingham counties, leaving Holliday in Southern Illinois Conference, thence east to the north line of Jasper and Crawford counties to the Wabash River.

J. T. Orr, President,
W. S. Hooper,
A. L. Plowman,
W. F. Gillmore,
J. B. Martin,
B. A. Hoar, Secretary,
C. B. Besse,
J. A. Leatherman,
B. R. Pierce,
J. E. Nickerson,

C. H. Fowler, President. Commission.

TEMPERANCE.

The Committee on Temperance makes the following report:

We believe the saloon to be the greatest public enemy with which we have to contend. It annually blights the homes, crushes the hearts and destroys the lives and souls of multiplied thousands. It is opposed to progress of every kind, and brings idleness, ignorance, discord, poverty and cruelties into homes and communities, where industry, peace, prosperity and happiness might otherwise prevail. We note with sorrow the betrayal of the cause of prohibition by its

pretended friends in Iowa, and we recognize with no small degree of solicitude, the evident purpose of the politicians of the country to completely overthrow prohibition. We rejoice in the spirit and fidelity of our brethren in Iowa. It is gratifying to know that when the choice between principle and party can no longer be avoided, the Methodists of Iowa stand for principle. Against this monster, let us use our influence, our energy and our ballot. The time has come for active, aggressive work. We may not wait for prohibition to become an issue, we must make it an issue. We renounce for ourselves all partisanship and declare our purpose to see that every vote we cast shall be directly for the principles of prohibition and for men pledged to its support.

J. H. FORD, Chairman.

CHURCH EXTENSION.

Realizing the importance of the evangelization of our own country in order to evangelize the world, and that in this great work we must have churches in all our communities, and as these cannot be built in many of the poorer communities without outside help, and as the Board of Church Extension is intended to help in this work,

Resolved, That we, as pastors, lay these facts faithfully before our people, and urge them to meet the entire apportionment, explaining to them that we are entitled to three-fifths of all we raise in our Conference to be used within our own territory.

N. CROW, Chairman.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

The Christian Sabbath is almost incessantly desecrated. The God-given command, "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy," is still in effect, and for its violation the Protestant churches are in a measure responsible.

We endorse the action of Congress in providing for closed gates at the Columbian Exposition.

We deplore the fact that this decision was reversed, the gates opened, and a vigorous effort made to fill the buildings and grounds on Sunday. We most heartily thank God for the moral and religious sense of this nation that refused to attend this place of resort on the Lord's day. Also that the so-called laboring classes recognize the necessity of a day of rest, and propose to profit by it. The evident sense of this nation on this subject is Christian, Socialism and Liberalism to the contrary, notwithstanding.

We recommend preaching upon this special subject in all our pulpits.

Resolved, That as a Church and Conference we will do what God would have us do to preserve peace and quiet and deep religious regard for the American Christian Sabbath.

J. L. WYLDER, Chairman.

CLASS MEETINGS.

The Class Meeting is one of the providential institutions of Methodism. Through its power our fathers conquered. They overcame through the blood of the "Lamb and the word of their testimony."

The Discipline defines the design of the organization of classes and the appointment of leaders to be: 1st. For sub-pastoral oversight. 2d. To keep up a meeting for social worship and for relating Christian experience. 3rd. To carry out a financial plan for raising money for religious and benevolent purposes.

There never was a time when these essentials were so well provided for or so successfully maintained by the Church as at the present time. The Sunday School, Prayer meetings, social meetings, Epworth League and our financial disciplinary plan are as providential as the class; and as they are largely superceding it in most places we earnestly pray that a double portion of the Spirit may rest upon these later institutions. Let the class meetings be maintained when it is possible, but let the Church never neglect to stand for the essential elements of the class whatever form the organization may take.

B. R. PIERCE, Chairman.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE JOURNALS

We, your Committee on District Conference Journals, submit the following report: We find no records of adjourned sessions of the District Conferences of Mt. Carmel and Olney Districts, although important business was transacted at these adjourned sessions. The journal of Olney District is not indexed. We especially commend the neat appearance of the journal of Lebanon and Mt. Vernon Districts.

L. E. COLE,
J. W. TENNYSON,
Committee.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Resolved, 1st. That we hereby express our confidence in the management of our Sunday-School Union, and urge all the charges to contribute liberally to its support.

2nd. That no Sunday-school literature is better calculated to instill piety and religious intelligence into the minds of our people than our own publications. We therefore recommend their use in all our schools.

ZELAH J. FARMER, Chairman.

TRACTS.

WHEREAS, Eighteen charges in 1892 report no collection for the Tract Society, and, that the total amount contributed is less than one cent per member, and that the society extends liberal aid to the cause of Missions, donating $6000 to $7000 per year, thus giving one-third of its income in aid of our Mission presses; therefore,

Resolved, That we recommend that a systematic, persistent effort on the part of the pastor, be made to raise our apportionment, viz: $475.

W. A. CROSS.

CONFERENCE RECORD, 1893.

MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE.

NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS.	Admitted into full Connection.		Came to S. Ill. Conf.	Nativity.	Relation.
		Year.	Conference.			
Allyn, R	Carbondale	1842	N. England	1863	Conn	Superan.
Baker, D. W	Xenia	1893	S. Illinois			Effective.
Baker, C. E	Mulb'ry G've.	1892	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Barnes, E	Xenia	1873	Kentucky	1884	Kentucky	Effective.
Barringer, E.M.	Newton	1888	S. Illinois			Effective.
Baker, M. B	Mason	1890	S. Illinois			Effective.
Besse, C. B	Vandalia			1890		Effective.
Blair, F. O	Trinidad, Col.	1866	S. Illinois		Mass	Superan.
Bliss, A	Effingham	1856	S. Illinois		Vermont	Superan.
Bruner, W. B	Smithboro	1857	S. Illinois		Indiana	Superan.
Bonner, C. W	Greenville	1867	S. Illinois		Indiana	Effective.
Boyer, J. J	Jeffersonville.	1870	S. Illinois		Penn	Superan.
Beckett, C. A	Evanston	1887	S. Illinois		Indiana	Effective.
Bradley, W. R	Elizabetht'n	1884	S Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Bennett, J. H	Wayne City	1884	S. Illinois		Tenn	Effective.
Burkitt W. L	Sumner	1890	S. Illinois			Effective.
Bovard, C. E	Altamont	1891	S. Illinois			Effective.
Burk, J. E	Elsah	1891	S. Illinois			Effective.
Cummins, J. B	Golconda	1893	S Illinois			Effective.
Calvert, G	Belmont	1888	S. Illinois		New York	Effective.
Clark, O. H	Belleville	1861	S. Illinois		England	Effective.
Cooksey, N. B	Olney	1877	S Illinois		Iowa	Supernu.
Crenshaw, J. D.	Marion	1876	Kentucky	1884	Kentucky	Effective.
Cullom, A. D	Mulb'ry G've.			1887	Illinois	Supernu.
Cramp, L	Shipman	1881	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Cole, M. L	Richview	1890	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Crow, N	Jerseyville	1881	S. Illinois			Effective.
Cross, W. A	Bunker Hill	1874	Ch. South	1885	Illinois	Effective.
Cunningham, J.L.	Sparta	1879	S. Illinois		Tenn	Effective.
Cullom, G. W	Avena	1855	S. Illinois		Illinois	Superan.
Cole, L. E	Avena	1883	S. Illinois		Mass	Effective.
Carson, W	Albion	1891	S. Illinois		Ireland	Effective.
Douthitt, C. T.	Omaha	1893	S. Illinois			Effective.
Davis, W. F	Sullivan	1860	S. Illinois		Kentucky	Superan.
Dee, J. G	Carmi	1881	S. Illinois			Effective.
Downs, F. W	Globe, Ariz	1880	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Dew, J. P	Kansas City					Superan.
Dewhirst, A	Oblong	1889	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Elam, D	Woburn	1867	S. Illinois		N. Carolina	Superan.
Earp, J	Lebanon	1856	S. Illinois		England	Superan.
Eaton, T. A	Lebanon	1852	Illinois		Kentucky	Superan.
Edwards, W. W	Lebanon	1885	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Farmer, Z. J	Pocahontas	1890	S. Illinois			Effective.
Field, J. W	Richview	1872	S. Illinois		Illinois	Supernu.
Flint, J. W	Carbondale	1877	S Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Ford, J H	Vienna	1879	Kentucky	1886	Kentucky	Effective.
Franklin, J. W.	Pinckneyville			1882	Illinois	Superan.
Grantham, L. J	Ashley	1893	S. Illinois			Effective.
Gillham, J. D	Centralia	1858	S. Illinois		Illinois	Supernu.
Greenlaw, A. L.	Flora		S. Illinois	1889		Supernu.
Groves, S. P	Carbondale	1862	S. Illinois		Ohio	Effective.
Green, S	Mt. Vernon	1862	Kansas		Ohio	Effective.
Hiser, H. O	Mt. Erie	1893	S. Illinois			Effective.

NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS.	Admitted in full Connection.		Came to S. Ill. Conf.	Nativity.	Relation.
		Year.	Conference.			
Hunter, J. K....	Frankfort....	1893	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Effective.
Hale, W. G.....	Evanston.....	1885	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.....	Effective.
Harris, A.....	Alma.....	1887	S. Illinois...	.....	Indiana	Effective.
Hampton, J. A.	Gillespie.....	1876	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.....	Effective.
Harmon, J. F...	Mt. Carmel...	.....	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Effective.
Harmon, J. G...	Sumner.....	1890	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Effective.
Harper, L. A....	Mt. Erie.....	1860	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.....	Superan..
Hawk, J. L.....	Jonesboro'h.	.....	.....	1889	Ohio.....	Effective.
Hennessy, J. D..	Carlyle.....	1885	S. Illinois...	....	Illinois.....	Effective.
Herdman, T. H.	Lebanon	1867	S. Illinois...	.....	Penn.	Effective.
Hoar, B. A.....	Farina.....	1885	S. Illinois...	1892	Ohio.....	Effective.
Houghton, Ross C	Venice.....	.....	.....	.....	....	Effective.
House, J. B.....	Enfield..... ...	1885	S. Illinois...	.....	England.....	Effective.
Huffman, J. T..	N. Douglas...	1886	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Effective·
House, M.....	Greenville.....	1859	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.....	Superan..
Harris, D. T....	Ramsey.....	1891	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.....	Effective.
Hopper, W. J...	McLeansb'ro	1891	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Effective.
Jackson, J. W..	Robinson.....	.....	S. Illinois...	....	Illinois.....	Effective.
Joy, E.....	Mound City..	1844	Illinois.....	.....	Illinois.....	Effective
Jones, J. H	Metropolis...	1884	S. Illinois...	.....	England.....	Effective.
Johnston, U. G.	Newton..... ..	1891	S. Illinois...	1883	Ohio.....	Effective
Keith, H. H.....	....	1857	Up. Iowa...	1885	Indiana.....	Superan..
Kiesling, W.....	Calhoun.....	1890	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Effective.
King, M. L.....	Johnsonville	1843	Kentucky..	.....	....	Superan..
Kinison, J. C ...	Corinth.....	1891	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Effective.
Laughlin, J. C..	Tunnell Hill.	1857	S. Illinois...	.....	Kentucky...	Superan..
Locke, J. W.....	Lebanon	1845	Ohio.....	.....	Kentucky...	Effective.
Leatherman J A	Odin.....	1885	S. Illinois...	.....	Indiana.....	Effective.
Leatherman, W	Pinckn'yville	1889	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.....	Effective.
Leeper, J.	DuQuoin	1858	S. Illinois...	.....	Ohio.....	Effective.
Lingenfelter C D	Clay City.....	1856	S. Illinois...	.....	Kentucky...	Effective.
Lingenfelter V D	Benton.....	1857	S. Illinois...	.....	Kentucky ..	Superan..
Little, D. J.....	Moccassin....	1884	S. Illinois...	.....	Tennessee...	Effective.
McCammon G E	Evanston.....	1893	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Effective
McIntosh, W. D	Vergennes....	1893	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Effective.
Maddux, J. W...	Jonesboro....	1890	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Supernu..
McGriff, J. H....	Olney.....	1869	Holston.....	.....	Penn.....	Effective.
McIntosh, S. A..	Epworth	1888	S. Illinois...	.....	Indiana.....	Effective
McIntosh, J. W	Nashville.....	1885	S. Illinois...	.....	Indiana.....	Effective.
McMorrow, J W	Mulber'y Gv.	1884	S. Illinois...	.....	....	Superan..
McNeill, J. W....	Carmi.....	.....	Tennessee ..	1890	....	Effective.
Manifold, H.....	Watson.....	1857	S. Illinois...	.....	Penn	Superan..
Murken, J. T....	Hutsonville..	1889	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.....	Effective.
Morris, W. T....	St. Elmo.....	1883	S. Illinois...	.....	Tennessee...	Effective.
Mapes, C.....	....	.....	.....	1888	....	Superan..
Nickerson, J. E.	Kinmundy ...	1887	S. Illinois...	.....	Ohio.....	Effective.
Nash, C.	Olney	1867	S. Illinois...	.....	Tennessee...	Effective.
Nall, J. W.....	St. Elmo.....	1855	S. Illinois...	....	N. Carolina.	Superan..
Oglesby, D.....	Richview	1856	S. Illinois...	....	....	Superan..
Orr, D.....	Golconda.....	1885	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.	Effective.
Orr, J. C	Harrisburg..	.....	.....	1887	Kentucky...	Effective.
Pierce, B. R.....	Effingham....	1857	S. Illinois...	.....	Kentucky...	Effective.
Pierce, S. E.....	Larder, Wy..	1893	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.....	Effective.
Pierce, R. E	Grayville.....	1884	S. Illinois...	.....	Illinois.....	Effective.
Pitkins, A. H....	Louisville.....	1893	S Illinois...	.....	....	Effective.

MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE —*Continued.*

NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS.	Admitted into full Connection.		Came to S. Illinois Conf.	Nativity.	Relation.
		Year.	Conference.			
Poole, W. H.	Noble	1892	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Powers, M. N.	Litchfield			1892		Effective.
Powis, W.	Bridgeport	1880	Kentucky	1886	England	Effective.
Randle, R.	Taylorville	1855	S. Illinois		Georgia	Superan.
Rutherford, J. P.	Hagerstown	1859	S. Illinois		Illinois	Superan.
Ransom, A.	Altamont	1852	Illinois		New York	Superan.
Ravenscroft J. B.	Fairfield	1869	S. Illinois		England	Effective.
Ravenscroft, W. E	Edwardsville	1857	Indiana	1877	England	Effective.
Reid, J. Y.	Eldorado	1887	S. Illinois		Kentucky	Effective.
Reef, J. R.	Vienna	1870	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Robinson, J. A.	Upper Alton	1851	Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Sabine, C. W.	Bone Gap	1878	S. Illinois		Ohio	Effective.
Scarritt, J. A	Alton	1853	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Scawthon, G. W.	Bunker Hill	1869	S. Illinois		England	Effective.
Seed, G. A.	Shiloh	1878	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Shepherd, G. W.	Belleville	1886	S. Illinois		Kentucky	Effective.
Shouse, D.	Saylor Spr'gs.	1893	S. Illinois			Effective.
Shumard, D. C.	Trenton	1890	S. Illinois			Effective.
Smith, B. S.	Anna	1889	S. Illinois			Effective.
Smith L.	Makanda	1892	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Snell, A.	Opdyke	1857	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Stauffer, N.	Benton	1877	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Sears, H.	Cleveland, O.	1853	S. Illinois		Ohio	Supernu.
Sale, C. E.	Oblong	1891	S. Illinois			Effective.
Taylor, J. A.	Kane	1892	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Tennyson, J. W.	Willow Hill	1892	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Thompson, J. B.	Salem	1875	S. Illinois		Maryland	Effective.
Thomson, F. L.	Alton	1868	S. Illinois		Tennessee	Effective.
Thrall, L. W.	Salem	1872	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Thrapp, J. A.	Tamaroa	1858	S. Illinois		Ohio	Superan.
Tilroe, W	Flat Rock	1869	S. Illinois		Holland	Effective.
Turner, S. E.	Irvington			1891		Effective.
Van Cleve, W.	Olney	1866	S. Illinois		New Jersey	Superan.
Van Cleve, J. W.	Mt. Vernon	1882	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Vandaveer, A.	Watson	1888	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Van Treese, F. M	Cairo	1860	S. Illinois		Indiana	Effective.
Van Houten, A. W	Lancaster	1884	S. Illinois		Indiana	Effective.
Virden, Charles	Evanston	1891	S. Illinois		Ohio	Effective.
Whitsell, G. W.	Sterling, Kan.	1875	S. Illinois		Ohio	Supernu.
Waggoner, E. E.	Staunton	1893	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Waggoner, G. W.	Upper Alton	1856	Illinois		Tennessee	Superan.
Walker, L. S.	Chester	1859	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Walker, S.	Carlyle	1859	S. Illinois		Illinois	Supernu.
Waller, J. L.	McLeansboro.	1867	S. Illinois		Ohio	Effective.
Wallis, W.	Olney.	1867	S. Illinois		Ireland	Effective.
West, F. L.	Centralia	1886	S. Illinois		New Jersey.	Effective.
Wilkin, L. C.	Jeffersonville	1893	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Wylder, J. L.	Piasa	1887	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
Woodley, R. D.	E. St. Louis	1883	WhiteRiver	1885	N. Carolina	Effective.
Weeden, J.		1863	S. Illinois			Superan.
Yingst, A.	Beaver Creek	1889	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective.
York, C. L.	Donnellson	1889	S. Illinois			Effective.
Yungling, J. P.	Crossville.	1873	S. Illinois		Virginia	Supernu.
Young, S. P.		1892	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective

PROBATIONERS OF CONFERENCE

NAME	POSTOFFICE.	YEAR.	CONFERENCE.
Littell, A. J	Murphysboro	1888	Southern Illinois
Large, J. A	Lebanon	1892	Southern Illinois
Laird, O E	Spring Garden	1892	Southern Illinois
Roberston, Ressho	Carterville	1892	Southern Illinois
Pressley, C J	DuQuoin	1892	Southern Illinois
McKelvey, J. E	Steelville	1892	Southern Illinois
Culver, O. E	Lebanon	1892	Southern Illinois
Holly, T. O	Belknap.	1892	Southern Illinois
Neil, W. H	Waterloo	1892	Southern Illinois
Smith, S. S	Norris City	1892	Southern Illinois
Walton, W. C	Huey	1892	Southern Illinois
Miller, D. R	Iuka	1892	Southern Illinois
McCullom, C. S	Tamaroa	1892	Southern Illinois
Randle, G. W	Bloomington	1892	Southern Illinois
Sweeney, N. D	Troy	1891	St. Louis.
Adams, J. M	Freeburg	1893	Southern Illinois
Cates, T	New Burnsides	1893	Southern Illinois
Cummins, J. W	Lebanon	1893	Southern Illinois
Hullett, L	Walnut Hill	1893	Southern Illinois
James, F. M	Villa Ridge	1893	Southern Illinois
Levitt, J. P	Montrose	1893	Southern Illinois
Porter, L. W	West Liberty	1893	Southern Illinois
Wilkerson, G. N	Johnsonville	1893	Southern Illinois
Wynant. C. W	Norris City	1893	Southern Illinois

MINISTERS' WIDOWS.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	COUNTY.	STATE.
Allyn, Mrs. H	Metropolis	Massac	Illinois.
Allyn, Mrs. N	Springfield	Sangamon	Illinois.
Armstrong, Mrs. I. S	Metropolis	Massac	Illinois.
Babbitt, Mrs. C	Centralia	Marion	Illinois.
Cliffe, Mrs. W	Olney	Richland	Illinois.
Clifford, Mrs. Z. S	Equality	Gallatin	Illinois.
Glaze, Mrs. G	Georgetown		Colorado.
Hamilton, Mrs. P. P	Duquoin	Perry	Illinois.
Jay, Mrs. C. F	Steel's Mill	Randolph	Illinois.
Johnson, Mrs. Rachel	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson	Illinois.
Jones, Mrs. O. V	Lebanon	St. Clair	Illinois.
Mitchell, Mrs. W. W	Highland	Madison	Illinois.
Nall, Mrs. R. J	Olney	Richland	Illinois.
Reynolds, Mrs. J. B	Edgar		Nebraska.
Thatcher, Mrs J	Lebanon	St Clair	Illinois.
Campbell, Mrs. A	Nashville	Washington	Illinois.
Williamson, Mrs. D	Watson	Effingham	Illinois.
Robbins, Mrs. G. W	O'Fallon	St. Clair	Illinois.
Houts, Mrs. C. J	Metropolis	Massac	Illinois.
Holliday, Mrs. C. M	O'Fallon	St. Clair	Illinois.
Nesbit, Mrs. A. B	Olney	Richland	Illinois
Farmer, Mrs. G. W	Rosebud	Pope	Illinois.
English, Mrs. L. C	Robinson	Crawford	Illinois.
Gibson, Mrs. J	Creston		Iowa.
Caughlin, Mrs D	O'Fallon	St. Clair	Illinois.
Tolle, Mrs. C. J. T	Patoka	Marion	Illinois.
Downey, Mrs. A. L	Marlow		Illinois.
Gillham, Mrs. J	Sacramento		Illinois.
Brannum, Mrs. W. T	Kinmundy	Marion	Illinois.
Casey, Mrs. L	Centralia	Marion	Illinois.
Root, Mrs. E	Lebanon	St. Clair	Illinois.

MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE DECEASED.

NAMES.	NATIVITY.		ENTERED TRAVELING CONNECTION.		DECEASED.	
	Where.	When	Conference.	When	Where.	When
Haley, James W.	Kentucky		Illinois		Alton, Ill.	1855
Allyn, Henry	Connecticut	1813	S. Illinois	1851	Nashville, Ill	1855
Kendall, John D.		1824	S. Illinois	1853	Fairview, Ill.	1858
Massey, James M.	Tennessee	1809	Illinois	1831	Marion County, Ill.	1858
Vest, James	Tennessee	1801	Illinois	1851	Mascoutah, Ill	1859
Maxey, Wm. H.	Illinois	1823	S. Illinois	1826	Xenia, Ill.	1859
Chandler, Thos. W.		1799	Kentucky	1827	Alton, Ill.	1860
Shepherd, John	Pennsylvania	1789	Illinois	1836	Williamson Co., Ill.	1861
McCord, Charles A.	Kentucky	1813	S. Illinois	1853	Tamaroa, Ill.	1861
Calnan, John	Ireland	1833	S. Illinois	1860	Alton, Ill.	1861
Ayers, R. G.	Ohio	1837	S. Illinois	1858	Equality, Ill	1862
Walls, F. T			Illinois	1848		1862
Shepherd, Moses			Illinois	1851	DuQuoin, Ill	1862
Glaze, John	Ohio	1811	S. Illinois	1862	Albion, Ill	1863
Allyn, Norman	Connecticut	1810			Bunker Hill, Ill.	1864
Babbitt, Carlisle	Vermont	1808	Kentucky	1831	Olney, Ill	1864
Nall, Richard J.	N. Carolina	1818	Illinois	1839	Lawrenceville, Ill.	1864
Huggins, W. C.		1825	S. Illinois	1857	Equality, Ill.	1865
Holt, John			S. Illinois	1853	Hebron, Ill.	1866
Cliffe, William	England		Illinois	1843	Olney, Ill.	1866
Spencer, Travis O.			S. Illinois	1859	DuQuoin, Ill	1856
Mitchell, Wm. M.	Virginia	1816	Illinois	1854	Richview, Ill.	1869
Thatcher, John	Connecticut.	1806	Missouri	1835	Mt. Erie, Ill.	1869
Hamilton, Presley P.	Illinois	1824	S. Illinois	185	Litchfield, Ill.	1869
Frazer, John	Ireland	1803	New York	1831	Lebanon, Ill.	1871
Morrison, Jonas S.	New York.	1836	S. Illinois	1859	Shipman, Ill.	1871
Corrington, Wm. H.	Kentucky	1826	S. Illinois	1863	Belleville, Ill.	1872
Richardson, Jas. I.	Tennessee	1808	Illinois	1837	Marion County, Ill.	1872
Lambert, Cavey	England	1809	Illinois	1851	Grayville, Ill.	1872
Clifford, Zelotes S.	N.Hampshire	18 5	Indiana	1843	New Haven. Ill.	1872
Copeland, James	Missouri	1836	S. Illinois	1867	Lebanon, Ill.	1872
Walker, Wm. S. C.	Tennessee	1830	S. Illinois	1865	McLeansboro, Ill.	1873
Powell, Joseph S.			Alabama		Clay City, Ill.	1873
Taylor, William R.	Illinois	1836	S. Illinois	1860	Spring Garden, Ill.	1873
Greenlaw, Lowell M.	New York	1810	S. Illinois	1872	Flora, Ill.	1873
Armstrong, I. S.	Ohio	1824	S. Illinois	1869	Noble, Ill.	1874
Risley, Asahel L.	Kentucky	1804	Indiana	1827	Lebanon, Ill	1874
Randle, Thomas					Upper Alton, Ill.	1874
Van Cleve, John.	New Jersey	1801	Illinois	1828	New York	1875
Hawley, Nelson		1807	Illinois	1842	Middletown, Ohio.	1875
Dickson, Wm. C.	Kentucky		S. Illinois	1867	Olney, Ill.	1877
Jay, Charles F.	Pennsylvania	1802	S. Illinois	1851	Steelville, Ill.	1878
Van Winkle, D. B.			S. Illinois	1860	DuQuoin, Ill.	1878
Williamson, D.	Virginia		Indiana	1846	Watson, Ill.	1878
Campbell, A.	Pennsylvania	1811	S. Illinois	1853	Freeburg, Ill.	1879
Deneen, W. L.	Pennsylvania		Illinois	1828	Lebanon, Ill.	1879
Walker, Simeon	Georgia	1802	Illinois	1830	Carbondale, Ill.	1880
Harrington, S. J.	Pennsylvania	1845	S. Illinois	1873	Elsah, Ill.	1880
Robbins, G. W	Georgia	1800	Kentucky	1821	Richview, Ill.	1880
Corrington, J. B.	Kentucky	1801	Illinois	1840	St. Louis, Mo.	1880
Holliday, C. M.	Kentucky	1807	Kentucky	1825	O'Fallon, Ill.	1881
Houts, C. J	Kentucky	1812	Illinois	1838	Metropolis, Ill.	1881
Johnson, James	Kentucky	1809	Illinois	1848	Patoka, Ill.	1881
Lopas, T. C	England	1808	Illinois	1839	Greenville, Ill	1881
Delicate, H	England	1842	S. Illinois	1872	Wanda, Ill.	1882
Whitaker, W. F.	Indiana	1842	S. Illinois	1870	Belleville, Ill.	1882
Nesbit, A. B.	Indiana	1842	Indiana	1841	Olney, Ill.	1883
Johnson, J. T.	Tennessee	1805	Illinois	1825	Mt. Vernon, Ill.	1884
Farmer, G. W.	N. Carolina	1838	S. Illinois	1866	Anna, Ill	1884
Reynolds, J. B.	Illinois	1824	Illinois	1856	Salem, Ill	1885
Jones, O. V.	Kentucky	1824	S. Illinois	1866	Lebanon, Ill.	1885
English, L. C.	New Jersey	1818	Illinois	1851	Robinson, Ill.	1886
Lathrup, Erastus	Vermont	1813	Indiana	1846	Moravia, Iowa	1886
Woolard, J. B.	N. Carolina	1804	Illinois	1836	Mulberry Grove, Ill	1887
Gibson, Josiah	Virginia	1817	Pittsburgh	1843	Creston, Ill.	1888
Hill, J. H.	Ohio	1816	Illinois	1847	Lebanon, Ill.	1889
Caldwell, J. W.	Kentucky	1825	Illinois	1849	Kane, Ill.	1890
Coughlan, David	Virginia	1824	Illinois	1871	O'Fallon, Ill.	1890
Tolle, C. J. T.	Kentucky	1815	Illinois	1847	Patoka, Ill	1890
Lowe, J. W.	Kentucky		Illinois	1852	Preston, Kas.	1890
Downey, A. L.	Indiana		Kentucky	1854	Marlow, Ill.	1892
Gilham, J.	Illinois	1810	Illinois	1834	Sacramento, Ill.	1892
Johnson, T. N.	Illinois	1816	S. Illinois	1857	Vergennes, Ill.	1892
Brannum, W. T.	Illinois	1857	S. Illinois	1888	Kinmundy, Ill	1892
Casey, L.	Illinois	1825	S. Illinois	1856	Centralia, Ill.	1893
Root, E.	Virginia	1832	S. Illinois	1878	Lebanon, Ill	1893

SESSIONS OF THE CONFERENCE.

NO. SESSION.	DATE.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICIAN.
1	Oct. 27, 1852	Belleville.....	E. R. Ames....	J. Leaton	.....
2	Oct. 26, 1853	Mt. Carmel.	L. Scott.....	J. Leaton.....	.....
3	Sept.27, 1854	Mt. Vernon.	E R. Ames.....	J. Leaton.....	.....
4	Sept.26, 1855	Alton.....	E. S. Janes....	J. Leaton.....	.....
5	Oct. 1, 1856	Salem	M. Simpson....	J. Leaton.....	.....
6	Sept.23, 1857	Lebanon.....	L. Scott.....	M. Shepard.....	.....
7	Oct. 6, 1858	Olney.....	T A. Morris..	M. Shepard.....	.....
8	Sept.29, 1859	Richview.....	E. R Ames....	M. Shepard.....	J. Leeper.....
9	Oct. 17, 1860	Bunker Hill	M Simpson....	M. Shepard.....	J. Leeper.....
10	Oct. 3, 1861	Salem.....	E. S. Janes....	J. Leeper.....	J. D. Gillham.
11	Oct. 1, 1862	Alton.....	E. R. Ames....	J. W. Caldwell...	J. W. Nall.....
12	Sept.23, 1863	Mt. Carmel	O. C. Baker....	J. W. Caldwell...	J. W. Nall.....
13	Sept.23, 1864	Belleville.....	E. S. Janes....	J. W. Caldwell...	J W Nall.....
14	Sept.27, 1865	Olney.....	L. Scott.....	J. W. Caldwell...	J. W. Nall.....
15	Sept.19, 1866	Centralia....	E. Thomson..	R Allyn	J. W. Lane.....
16	Sept.25, 1867	Litchfield ...	E R Ames....	J. W. Caldwell...	J. W. Lane.....
17	Sept.10, 1868	DuQuoin.....	E S. Janes....	J. W. Caldwell...	J. W. Lane.....
18	Sept.15, 1869	Vandalia....	E. Thomson..	R. Allyn.....	J. W. Lane.....
19	Sept.14, 1870	Lebanon.....	M. Simpson...	R. Allyn.....	J. W. Lane.....
20	Sept.27, 1871	Cairo.....	L. Scott.....	R. Allyn.....	J. W. Lane.....
21	Oct. 2, 1872	Mt. Vernon.	T. Bowman...	R. Allyn.....	J. P. Dew.....
22	Oct. 1, 1873	Jerseyville..	I. W. Wiley....	R. Allyn.....	T.H. Herdman
23	Sept.23, 1874	Mt. Carmel.	L. Scott.....	R. Allyn.....	J Harris.....
24	Sept. 8, 1875	Centralia....	R. S. Foster...	T. H. Herdman.	J. Harris.....
25	Sept.13, 1876	Olney.....	M. Simpson...	T. H. Herdman.	J. Harris.....
26	Sept.27, 1877	Mt. Vernon	J. T. Peck.....	T. H Herdman.	W. Wallis.....
27	Sept.25, 1878	Alton..... ...	S. M. Merrill..	T. H. Herdman.	W. Wallis.....
28	Sept.10, 1879	Salem..... ...	E. G. Andrews	T H. Herdman.	W. Wallis.....
29	Sept. 1, 1880	Fairfield.....	C. D. Foss.....	T. H. Herdman.	W. Wallis.....
30	Aug.31, 1881	Greenville...	J. F. Hurst....	T. H. Herdman.	E. A. Hoyt.....
31	Sept.20, 1882	Mt. Vernon.	M. Simpson...	F. M. VanTreese	E. A. Hoyt.....
32	Sept.19, 1883	Belleville.....	T. Bowman...	F. M. VanTreese	E. A. Hoyt.....
33	Sept.24, 1884	Fairfield.....	R. S. Foster...	F. M. VanTreese	E. A. Hoyt.....
34	Sept.24, 1885	Edw'dsville.	W. X. Ninde...	F. M. VanTreese	E. A. Hoyt.....
35	Sept.23, 1886	Vandalia	J. M. Walden.	O. H. Clark.....	E. A. Hoyt.....
36	Sept 13, 1887	Olney.....	C. D. Foss.....	O H. Clark.....	J.W. VanCleve
37	Sept.26, 1888	E. St. Louis	J. P. Newman	O. H. Clark.....	J.W. VanCleve
38	Oct. 9, 1889	Carbondale.	S. M. Merrill..	O. H. Clark.....	J.W. VanCleve
39	Oct. 1, 1890	Mt Carmel.	T. Bowman...	O. H. Clark.....	J.W. VanCleve
40	Sept.23, 1891	Mt. Vernon.	H. W. Warren	O. H. Clark.....	J.W. VanCleve
41	Sept.28, 1892	Belleville.....	R. S. Foster...	J. W. VanCleve.	J. G. Dee.....
42	Sept.26, 1893	Flora.....	C. H. Fowler..	J. W. VanCleve.	J. G. Dee.....

*For the first seven years of the Conference, the Secretary or Assistant did the work of the Statistician.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

STATISTICS No. I. **ALTON DISTRICT.** SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893.

NAME OF CHARGES.	CHURCH MEMBERS'P.				BAP-TISMS.		SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			CHURCH PROPERTY.						BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.																
																MISSIONS.					EDUCATION.										OTHER COLL'NS	
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children baptized.	Adults baptized.	Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Churches.	Sunday Schools.	Total.	Board Ch. Extension.	Sunday-school Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid Soc'y.	Children's Fund.	Other Educational Objects.	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	*Episcopal Fund.	*Conference Claimants.	Domestic Missions.	McKendree College.
Alton	44	170	2	4	27	10	1	15	175	1	$10000	1	$2000	$50			23	77	100	5	2	2	2	40					4	20		20
Bethalto		62		3	2	1	2	10	40	5	2500	1	500	11			27		27	2				4		7				4		
Brighton	5	147		1	1	2	2	18	100	2	6000	1	1000	10		$500	33	7	40	2	2	1	2	4			1		5	8		7
Bunker Hill	2	201		3	2	8	2	33	212	2	8500	1	1500	35			20	50	70	5	2	2	3	9			39	44	5	13		
Donnellson	9	186	3	1	5	12	4	50	300	4	5000	1	800	1625	$12		21	11	32	4	2	2	3	9		4	8	8	3	20	4	
Edwardsville	4	184	1	1	5	5	1	14	150	1	10000	1	2500	75		200	23		23		2	2	4	14	8	25		3	5	15		8
Elsah	8	130	1	3	1		4	50	200	4	5000	1	950	75																		
Fieldon																																
Gillespie	3	160	1	3	3	3	4	34	250	4	7500	1	1000	10			55	50	105	5	1	3	5	5			1		10	10		
Glen Carbon																	26		26				2						2	12		
Godfrey		50		1	2		1	17	80	1	500	1	1200	180			30	10	40	3	1	1	2	3	1				1	2	6	10
Grafton	15	200		1	2	13	4	46	315	4	3500	1	500	30	60	150	21	4	25	1	3	3	1	10		1			12	2		
Jerseyville	32	295		3	24	6	1	30	258	1	16075	1	2600	675		450	91	80	171	9	4	4	9	10			50		2	22		5
Kane	8	150		2		1	1	19	146	1	5000	1	1500	1740		800	33	18	51	1	1	1	1	15		1	1	1	2	10		
Litchfield	20	366		6	13	8	1	25	404	1	12000	1	1800	600	284	2000	105	105	210	10	2	3	8				9		12	25		30
Litchfield Circuit	15	155	1	1	3	7	4	41	260	4	2500	1	800		100	72	15	15	30	1	1	1	1	10	34			9	1	15		
New Douglas	2	125	1	1	4	2	4	33	129	6	4400	1	800	30			25		25	4	1	1	2	5		4			2	10		
Piasa		186	2	4		4	3	30	240	3	5000			268			28	22	50											10		
Shipman		105		5	4	5	2	22	180	2	4100	1	1000	57			33	42	75	2	2	2	2		1	5			2	11		19
Staunton	10	90		2	1		2	20	117	2	1200	1	600	78			20	6	26	2	1	1	1	3					4	17	10	10
Upper Alton	4	144		2	5	3	2	30	250	1	3300	1	2100	150	100		46	20	66	10	3	3	8	5					2	16		56
Totals	181	3109	12	47	104	90	45	537	3806	49	112075	18	23150	5431	656	3972	645	547	1192	70	31	32	54	148	44	47	58	65	72	232	20	165
Last Year	134	3139	15	42	47	106	45	547	3964	48	110500	18	22796	4316	1076	2750	676	526	1202	78	31	34	67			75	114	8		289	10	56
Increase	47			5	57					1	1575		354	1115		1222															13	109
Decrease		30	3			16		10	158						420		127	9	36		1	2	18			17	5	7		54		

ALTON DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No. II. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERNCE, 1893. STATISTICS No. III.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, includ'g Salary, House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	Receipts, includ'g Salary House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELDERS. Apportioned.	Paid.	BISH'PS. Apportioned.	Paid.	CONF. CLAIM'T. Received from Collections and oteer Sources.	CURRENT EXPENSES. Church—Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday-School—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	SUNDAY-SCHOOLS. No. Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. Scholars in Infant Class.	No. Scholars of all Ages.	Average Attendance.	No. Library Books.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.	Scholars who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. Conversions in Sunday-school this year.	Current Expenses—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Alton	F. L. Thomson	1100	1100	..	60	60	6	4	20	300	150	1	15	75	175	130	.....	15	80	25	150
Bethalto	W. L. Lowrance	460	410	50	54	43	10	....	4	.....	.....	2	10	20	40	30	.....	7	10	....	...
Brighton	J. A. Robinson	700	700	...	56	56	.....	5	8	100	40	2	18	75	100	70	.....	18	75	5	40
Bunker Hill	G. W. Scawthon	900	750	150	60	55	10	5	13	.....	40	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	..	...	...	....
Donnellson	C. L. York	572	559	13	38	52	10	3	20	105	75	....	.....	..	..	.....	.....	...	...	....	...
Edwardsville	W. F. Ravenscroft	950	900	50	72	75	.....	5	15	165	30	1	14	40	150	125	.....	14	67	....	30
Elsah	John Pearce	600	500	100	54	28	.....	....	.....	65	70	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fieldon Mission	W. Raney	300	50	250	11	5	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gillespie	J. A. Hampton	700	700	....	64	64	10	10	10	100	70	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Glen Carbon	G. E. McCammon	250	200	50	25	...	.....	2	12	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Godfrey	J. B. House	300	300	....	36	29	6	1	2	36	16	1	24	50	80	40	100	13	40	....	16
Grafton	E. E. Waggoner	510	480	30	52	32	.....	12	2	200	75	4	46	231	315	250	80	40	70	30	105
Jerseyville	J. Earp	1000	1000	....	80	80	12	2	22	259	214	1	30	65	258	170	480	29	150	55	204
Kane	J. A. Taylor	750	750	...	68	64	.....	2	10	00	52	1	19	45	146	97	150	18	70	..	52
Litchfield	M. N. Powers	1150	1150	..	84	69	12	12	25	300	220	1	25	137	404	232	.....	25	200	13	221
Litchfield Circuit	C. N. Burk	550	480	70	58	58	8	1	15	60	30	4	41	45	260	170	.....	19	25	25	30
New Douglas	J. T. Huffman	550	470	80	65	30	10	2	10	63	22	4	33	40	129	82	.....	24	17	4	22
Piasa	J. L. Wylder	793	680	113	68	34	10	....	10	155	55	3	30	140	240	130	.....	30	....	2	60
Shipman	W. A. Cross	700	700	.	54	54	8	2	11	100	80	2	22	80	180	110	.....	20	30	20	80
Staunton	J. E. Burk	550	524	26	42	35	9	4	17	50	26	2	20	40	117	78	.....	18	30	....	26
Upper Alton	N. Crow	870	870	....	54	50	10	2	16	104	95	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Totals	14355	13273	982	1173	972	131	72	240	2262	1380	41	494	1442	4106	2863	1860	424	1092	195	1315
	Last Year	.....	.....	....	...	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	45	574	944	3964	2977	2633	508	1390	14	1549
	Increase	. ..	.....	....	.....	..	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	498	142	.....	.....	... ..	....	181	..
	Decrease	.....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	4	80	.	.....	114	773	84	298	....	234

LEBANON DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No I. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893.

| NAME OF CHARGES. | CHURCH MEMBERS'P. | | | | BAPTISMS. | | SUNDAY SCHOOLS. | | | CHURCH PROPERTY. | | | | | | | BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS. | | | | | | |

LEBANON DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No. II. — SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893. — STATISTICS No. III.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, Includ'g Salary, House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	PASTORS. Receipts, includ'g Salary, House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	PASTORS. Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELDERS. Apportioned.	PRESID'G ELDERS. Paid.	BISH'PS Apportioned.	BISH'PS Paid.	CONF. CLAIM'T. Received from Collections and other Sources.	CURRENT EXPENSES Church—Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	CURRENT EXPENSES Sunday-School—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS. No. Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. Scholars in Infant Class.	No. Scholars of all Ages.	Average Attendance.	No. Library Books.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.	Scholars who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. Conversions in Sunday-school this year.	Current Expenses—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Beaucoup	D. T. Harris	500	430	70	56	48	6	1	11	80	35	4	34	70	470	240	.....	.....	150	....	25
Belleville	R. D. Woodley	1100	1100	....	120	120	15	15	60	250	125	1	24	100	300	200	650	23	60	....	125
Carlyle	J. D. Hennessey	650	650	....	64	64	10	10	25	130	60	2	32	100	195	155	....	30	150	3	60
Collinsville	J. C. Orr.	900	864	36	60	55	10	5	20	81	80	1	19	65	165	135	100	18	60	40	80
East St. Louis	F. L. West	1200	1100	100	90	90	12	5	30	220	110	1	24	70	201	175	300	24	50	10	110
Freeburg	J. W. McIntosh	685	685	....	64	60	6	5	20	105	189	2	26	50	144	112	.....	17	48	27	89
Greenville	L. W. Thrall	933	933	....	70	70	10	7	30	215	70	1	18	84	144	112	....	17	44	....	70
Huey	W. C. Walton	500	452	48	60	60	10	5	20	100	96	4	42	46	235	170	96	34	86	8	96
Lebanon	L. Cramp	1000	1000	....	100	100	10	10	45	205	75	1	20	24	115	100	150	19	50	....	75
Mulberry Grove	C. E. Baker	460	457	3	50	50	6	2	13	171	70	2	26	149	288	162	.....	24	80	3	70
Nashville	G. A. Seed	700	700	....	64	55	8	2	10	97	52	1	14	45	130	94	60	13	25	....	52
Okawville	H. H. Young	320	320	..	30	30	4	4	19	65	20	1	12	60	100	60	40	12	25	3	20
Pocahontas	Z. J. W. Farmer	56	565	.	60	60	10	6	25	110	80	4	46	80	325	245	40	39	125	15	80
Ramsey	A. W. VanHouten	550	550	....	50	50	5	....	14	90	100	2	24	110	150	110	...	24	25	...	62
Shilo and O'Fallon	C. W. Bonner	.....	574	....	60	45	6	6	25	85	49	2	24	39	140	102	....	10	13	2	49
Smithsboro	J. W. Dundas	300	245	5	40	40	6	....	10	55	.....	3	21	50	213	150	....	19	50	4	60
Trenton	C. D. Shumard	641	+41	....	70	70	8	5	25	110	62	2	28	80	175	120	50	28	40	14	62
Troy	N. D. Sweeney	560	560	....	50	50	8	5	23	92	80	3	33	98	255	194	300	26	54	16	80
Venice	H. L. Davenport	346	346	....	32	30	3	3	12	124	32	1	9	25	55	43	40	7	15	8	32
Vera	J. P. Rutherford	160	114	46	40	30	3	....	13	10		1	8	25	40	30	.....	4	20	...	10
Waterloo	W. H. Neill	500	475	25	40	40	3	1	12	15	25	3	26	50	175	150	120	16	10	2	25
Wisetown	Adam Yingst	500	475	25	50	50	5	5	24	75	4	4	35	60	260	200	.....	28	....	....	45
	Totals	13165	13336	408	1320	1227	165	102	486	2535	1364	46	545	1480	4275	3169	1946	432	1170	155	1277
	Last Year	.....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.	48	530	1061	... ..	3203	2316	477	1168	172	...
	Increase	.....	.. ..	....	.....	.. ..	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	15	419	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Decrease	.....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.. ..	.....	...	2	.....	....	.....	134	370	45	98	17	....

MT. CARMEL DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No. I. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893.

NAME OF CHARGES.	CHURCH MEMBERS'P.				BAPTISMS.		SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			CHURCH PROPERTY.						BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.															
																MISSIONS.					EDUCATION.								OTHER COLL'NS		
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children baptized.	Adults baptized.	Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Churches.	Sunday Schools.	Total.	Board Ch. Extension.	Sunday-school Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid Soc'y.	Children's Fund.	Other Educational Objects.	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	*Episcopal Fund.	*Conference Claimants.	Domestic Missions.	McKendree College.
Belknap	27	360	1	3	15	5	7	62	298	6	$3100	1	500	.....	70	37	....	6	6	1	....	1	....	.....	1	...	.....	....	2	14	.....	.....
Carmi	3	220	..	3	....	9	1	21	209	1	2500	1	1800	75	.....	...	80	20	100	25	4	3	10	5	5	....	....	....	12	30	10	25
Crossville	10	312	2	1	1	40	4	27	275	5	4800	1	400	95	.....	250	40	10	50	5	2	1	2	4	.....	1	2	....	5	10	.....	.....
Dahlgrene	76	510	2	9	31	12	5	38	275	7	3500	1	500	250	30	.....	10	....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	....	1	2	10	.....	.....
Eddyville	31	385	4	3	4	40	4	20	200	6	3000	1	400	.....	.....	.....	10	....	10	1	1	1	2	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	10	.....	.....
Eldorado	6	350	5	1	....	9	4	33	260	4	4600	1	800	32	115	.....	25	25	50	5	2	2	4	5	.....	1	....	....	5	16	.....	.....
Elizabethtown	25	316	2	1	10	16	4	31	240	2	2500	1	300	20	.....	.....	17	....	17	1	1	1	1	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	7	.....	.....
Enfield	17	380	1	6	1	3	4	44	415	4	3800	1	800	130	.....	.....	100	40	140	8	5	5	8	25	.....	....	....	....	8	20	.....	.....
Epworth	8	165	..	1	3	24	2	18	155	2	2900	1	1000	130	.....	.....	93	32	125	8	3	3	8	8	2	....	....	....	12	30	15	10
Equality	55	282	2	5	5	11	4	21	162	4	3800	1	1000	.....	.....	110	....	63	63	6	2	2	4	12	.....	....	....	....	8	30	5	.....
Golconda	4	81	..	..	1	....	1	20	130	1	3300	1	900	.....	.....	400	13	17	30	1	1	2	.....	4	.....	....	....	....	4	12	3	.....
Grayville	5	160	..	1	1	7	2	20	150	2	2750	1	1200	75	....	.....	32	18	50	3	2	2	2	.....	.....	....	10	....	4	12	....	10
Harrisburg	21	134	..	3	1	9	1	16	127	1	1500	1	900	.....	.....	.....	6	29	35	4	1	1	4	4	.....	....	7	....	8	12	5	10
Little Prairie	20	196	2	3	1	35	3	24	100	3	1500	1	600	300	.....	250	1	....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	....	1	1	...	8	...	.....
McLeansboro	7	103	1	..	1	2	1	12	125	1	7000	..	.....	40	.....	.....	40	9	49	4	2	1	4	6	.....	....	12	....	7	24	....	25
" Ct	3	266	..	4	4	12	5	47	275	5	3000	..	.....	30	.....	.....	8	....	8	..	1	....	....	.....	.....	....	2	....	2	7	.....	.....
Metropolis	49	333	1	6	4	20	1	32	300	1	15000	1	800	550	.....	4450	84	26	110	8	3	4	8	10	.....	2	....	....	12	30	10	60
Metropolis Ct	6	129	..	..	....	7	2	18	100	2	1500	1	200	.....	.....	.....	2	..	2	1	1	1	1	1	.....	1	1	1	1	3	.....	.....
Mill Shoals	10	200	..	..	.....	.....	3	15	120	3	2700	..	.....	149	.....	187	4	...	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....
Mt. Carmel	44	279	2	3	5	30	1	30	250	1	10000	1	2000	1100	.....	.....	152	48	200	12	3	3	12	7	....	10	28	....	18	60	17	160
New Burnsides	5	310	3	1	1	13	5	30	245	6	3540	1	250	706	.....	75	15	5	20	....	1	1	....	1	.....	1	1	....	4	3	.....	.....
Norris City	29	276	1	2	....	23	4	32	227	4	4500	..	.....	31	115	.....	40	....	40	2	1	1	3	6	2	....	....	....	6	16	....	5
Omaha	28	285	..	3	1	27	2	18	150	5	3100	1	600	105	755	.....	35	..	35	2	1	1	2	1	.....	1	1	1	6	12	1	.....
Shawneetown	1	102	..	2	8	9	1	13	75	1	1000	1	700	38	144	375	15	5	20	2	.....	.....	2	1	1	1	1	1	6	12	2	5
Vienna	23	109	..	..	8	....	1	14	100	1	7000	1	1500	35	84	345	8	12	20	4	1	1	.....	4	.....	17	....	....	5	10	.....	.....
Vienna Ct	37	366	2	8	7	3	6	40	160	6	3800	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	....	30	3	1	1	2	2	.....	1	....	....	4	16	4	5
Wayn City	10	154	1	3	1	4	..	....	....	5	3000	1	300	280	.....	25	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	560	6753	32	62	114	370	78	696	5114	89	108690	22	17450	4171	1313	6504	860	365	1225	106	40	38	78	110	11	16	37	4	135	414	72	315
Last Year	649	6669	35	96	101	398	78	679	5698	90	103696	21	18300	9496	627	7082	1083	345	1428	102	39	36	93	....	.....	44	136	3	150	429	88	122
Increase	....	84	..	..	13	..	..	17	..	..	4991	1	.....	.....	686	.....	....	20	.....	4	1	2	....	.....	.....	....	....	1	.....	.....	.....	193
Decrease	89	....	3	34	....	28	..	....	584	1	.....	..	850	5325	.....	583	223	....	203	....	....	....	15	.....	.....	28	99	....	15	15	11	....

MT. CARMEL DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No. II. — SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893. — STATISTICS No. III

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, includ'g Salary, House Ren', or Rental Value of Parsonage.	Receipts includ'g Salary, House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELDERS. Apportioned.	Paid.	BISH'PS. Apportioned.	Paid	CONF. CLAIM'T. Received from Collections and other Sources.	CURRENT EXPENSES. Church—Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday-school—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	SUNDAY-SCHOOLS. No. Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. Scholars in Infant Class.	No. Scholars of all Ages.	Average Attendance.	No. Library Books.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.	Scholars who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. Conversions in Sunday-school this year.	Current Expenses—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Belknap	S. S. Smith	575	478	97	52	52	8	2	14	35	67	7	62	161	298	254	.....	50	149	47	67
Carmi	J. G. Dee	850	850	..	70	70	12	12	39	125	100	1	21	60	200	17	.....	21	100	5	100
Crossville	J. W. Cummins	600	600	....	48	48	10	5	10	90	48	4	27	175	275	200	.....	27	150	39	48
Dahlgrene	N. B. Hodson	500	500	....	48	48	8	2	10	150	.....	5	38	80	275	210	.....	36	70	17	120
Eddyville	W. D. Margraves	500	390	110	40	40	8	....	10	40	20	4	20	100	200	150	... .	7	150	25	60
Eldorado	J. W. McNeill	840	840	....	60	60	10	5	16	150	130	4	33	90	260	210	.....	33	110	8	130
Elizabethtown	W. R. Bradley	600	405	195	48	42	8	...	7	50	40	4	31	110	240	200	.....	28	60	26	40
Enfield	L. E. Cole	780	630	150	60	60	12	8	20	80	87	4	44	70	415	340	.....	44	165	14	87
Epworth	J. Y. Reid	700	700	....	52	52	12	12	30	100	45	2	18	50	155	93	.....	18	80	25	45
Equality	J. H. Ford	672	572	100	52	52	10	8	30	.....	....	4	21	62	162	138	.....	20	37	....	....
Golconda	D. Orr	550	500	50	40	40	6	4	12	80	48	1	20	32	130	95	250	19	70	....	48
Grayville	J. H. Jones	670	670	....	56	56	8	4	12	72	70	2	20	30	130	100	.....	20	50	5	70
Harrisburg	N. Stauffer	600	525	75	48	48	8	8	12	83	.....	1	16	53	127	96	.....	16	38	18	50
Little Prairie	G. W. Lauderdale	355	355	....	30	30	4	....	8	15	30	3	24	40	100	75	.....	24	80	....	30
McLeansboro	J. L. Waller	700	700	....	64	64	10	7	24	120	85	1	12	40	125	85	....	12	27	....	85
McLeansboro Ct	W. J. Hopper	450	345	105	40	40	6	2	7	.....	....	5	47	100	275	200	.....	30	150	11	25
Metropolis	J. F. Harman	1000	960	40	72	72	12	12	30	160	150	1	32	40	300	200	....	32	79	11	150
Metropolis Circuit	T. O. Holly	350	290	60	32	29	6	1	3	40	17	2	18	40	100	80	.....	16	15	....	17
Mill Shoals	A. R. Redman	200	150	50	20	20	3	....	2	.....	....	3	15	40	120	90	.....	15	90	....	25
Mt. Carmel	R. E. Pearce	1200	1200	....	100	100	16	15	60	204	94	1	30	50	250	180	200	30	150	125	94
New Burnsides	J. B. Cummins	485	460	25	40	40	8	4	3	20	35	5	30	115	245	200	.....	25	200	....	35
Norris City	O. F. Culver	400	320	80	36	36	6	6	16	50	50	4	32	65	227	150	. . .	30	124	23	50
Omaha	C. T. Douthitt	600	600	....	48	48	6	6	12	60	15	2	18	100	150	100	.....	20	75	30	15
Shawneetown	J. G. Tucker	425	432	....	40	40	6	6	12	88	28	1	18	21	75	64	... ..	10	10	....	28
Vienna	C. S. Royse	600	600	....	48	48	8	5	10	60	35	1	14	60	80	72	65	14	20	....	35
Vienna Circuit	J. R. Reef	500	302	198	44	41	6	4	16	50	50	6	40	80	160	140	.....	35	80	8	50
Wayn City	J. H. Bennett	560	371	129	32	28	6	....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....	....	.....	.....	..	.....	...	....	.. .
	Totals	15762	14795	1464	1288	1264	219	135	414	1922	1244	78	696	1864	5090	3892	515	617	2244	432	1504
	Last Year	.....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	78	679	1558	.....	4154	550	635	2700	355	1453
	Increase	.....	.....	....	.....	..	.....	....	.....	..	..	....	17	306	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	77	51
	Decrease	.....	.....	....	.....	...	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	...	.....	262	35	18	456	.....	...

MT. VERNON DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No. 1. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893.

NAME OF CHARGES.	CHURCH MEMBERS'P.				BAP-TISMS.		SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			CHURCH PROPERTY.						BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.														
																MISSIONS.					EDUCATION.								OTHER COLL'NS	
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children baptized.	Adults baptized.	Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Churches.	Sunday Schools.	Total.	Board Ch. Extension.	Sunday-school Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid Soc'y.	Children's Fund.	Other Educational Objects.	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	*Episcopal Fund.	*Conference Claimants.	Domestic Missions.	McKendree College.
Anna	1	146	..	4	4	....	1	16	73	1	$3000	1	$1200	..	..	.....	.....	17	20	37	1	1	1	2	2	1	....	....	....	1	10	....	....
Ashley	4	160	1	2	5	2	2	20	120	3	4250	1	$500	$3100		....	....	13	13	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	10	....	....
Benton	6	96	1	2	1	2	1	12	75	1	5000	1	1000	800	....	.....	43	2	45	2	1	1	2	3	.....	....	....	....	1	12	....	....
Cairo	10	180	..	2	10	10	1	24	180	1	15000	1	2000	.....	$1571	.....	40	40	80	5	2	2	4	3	.....	....	39	....	8	30	....	....
Carbondale	20	290	2	4	4	18	2	34	370	1	8000	1	2000	....	257	$560	126	49	175	22	5	5	22	12	.....	....	77	....	15	60	22	20
Carterville	9	151	1	1	3	5	1	8	60	2	1500	..	.....	.....	...	....	30	....	30	5	....	.....	...	....	.....	.....	...	....	....	10	4	9
Chest'r&Palis'tin	13	205	1	3	9	1	2	24	175	2	7000	1	1500	550	....	350	26	7	33	1	1	....	....	1	.....	.....	....	....	4	15	....	9
Corinth	29	520	3	9	21	33	6	60	550	6	3700	1	450	150	....	.....	77	3	80	2	1	1	3	8	.....	....	....	....	5	30	....	....
DuQuoin	20	170	1	2	7	8	1	16	160	1	2500	1	1100	10	....	.....	28	42	70	8	3	3	8	4	8	....	4	....	8	30	20	5
DuQuoin Ct.	54	292	2	6	4	76	3	21	144	4	1650	1	250	.....	.....	.....	16	....	16	1	1	1	1	.....	....	2	1	1	....	4	....	4
Elco	2	151	1	3	3	7	1	7	60	3	2800	1	400	.....	.....	.....	4	4	8	2	1	1	2	2	...	1	....	....	2	4	....	....
Jonesborough	12	170	..	3	2	12	3	26	160	3	1600	1	300	10	.....	.....	15	5	20	4	1	1	....	6	.....	....	....	....	1	9	3	....
Marion	8	134	1		3	8	1	12	100	1	3700	1	800	2800	....	550	13	17	30	8	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	4	.....	.....
Makanda	56	252	..	..	3	55	3	35	194	3	3400	..	....	.....	.....	.....	53	9	62	8	2	2	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	30	8	8
Mound City	....	76		2	12	9	1	12	100	1	3000	..	.....	220	.....	...	15	10	25	2	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	10	.....	.....
Mt. Vernon	8	576	6	4	15	6	1	34	384	1	25000	1	3000	684	.....	1700	258	142	400	50	10	10	30	12	.....	...	49	....	15	115	....	45
Mt. Vernon Ct.	50	270	2	5	....	....	4	50	300	6	4000	1	800	.....	.....	.....	30	....	30	3	1	1	2	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	2	10	....	....
Murphysborough	1	160	1	5	5	....	1	22	210	1	4000	1	2500	15	112	200	24	36	60	7	3	3	7	.....	.....	..	.....	....	7	30	6	....
Opdyke	23	252	1	3	....	3	3	28	200	3	2800	1	505	5	....	.....	13	....	13	2	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	3	6	1	....
Pinckneyville	10	181	..	6	6	6	1	16	180	1	3500	1	1200	150	....	500	24	13	37	4	2	2	3	2	.....	1	6	....	4	12	...	6
Rchview	12	107	..	2	2	6	1	13	100	1	2000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	7	20	2	1	1	1	.....	.....	....	.....	1	1	4	.....	....
Sparta	8	140	1	1	9	2	2	16	110	2	2700	1	1000	50	.....	.	24	16	40	2	2	2	3	2	.....	1	....	2	3	12	...	3
Spring Garden	9	321	1	6	....	15	6	56	280	5	3500	1	500	1000	...	75	8	....	8	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	9	1	....
Steelville	2	134	.	3	...	2	2	18	70	1	1000	1	500	.....	.....	.....	10	....	10	1	....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	1	....
Tamaroa	3	140	2	3	..	....	2	25	135	4	1700	1	300	.....	.....	.....	8	2	10	1	1	....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	1	.....	.....
Thebes	12	69	..	3	....	4	4	23	150	3	2000	1	400	.....	.....	.....	10	...	10	3	.....	..	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	5	.....	.....
Thompsonville	20	320	2	2	2	4	5	42	300	6	3000	1	400	50	110	.....	6	....	6	....	1	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	5	.....	.....
Vergennes	2	179	1	..	3	1	3	20	200	3	3000	1	600	.....	.....	.....	10	...	10	....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	...	.....	.....	...	4	.....	.....
Villa Ridge	26	115	.	2	3	5	2	15	90	3	1800	.	.....	140	...	.....	20	....	20	....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	3	.....	.....
Totals	430	5927	31	88	136	300	66	705	5730	73	126100	24	23200	9734	2050	3935	961	437	1398	146	41	38	107	63	10	5	176	4	95	485	55	109
Last Year	460	5434	45	87	121	264	65	669	5173	69	117840	23	20600	16098	1659	1516	967	492	1459	130	41	41	102	.....	.....	38	148	3	110	496	138	34
Increase	....	493	..	..	....	36	1	36	57	4	8260	1	2600		391	2419	....	....	.....	16	...	....	5	63	10	....	28	1	....	....	..	..	75
Decrease	30	....	14	1	15	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	.....	6364	.....	.....	6	55	61	....	....	3	....	.....	.....	33	....	....	15	11	83	...	

Mt. VERNON DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No. II — Southern Illinois Conference, 1893. — STATISTICS No. III.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, includ'g Salary, House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	Receipts, includ'g Salary House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELDERS. Apportioned.	Paid.	BISH'PS. Apportioned.	Paid.	CONF. CLAIM'T. Received from Collections and other sources.	CURRENT EXPENSES. Church—Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday-School—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	SUNDAY-SCHOOLS. No. Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. Scholars in Infant Class.	No. Scholars of all Ages.	Average Attendance.	No. Library Books.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.	Scholars who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. Conversions in Sunday-school this year.	Current Expenses—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Anna	J. A. Leatherman	700	600	100	36	36	7	1	10	160	30	1	16	30	73	47	.....	16	30	...	30
Ashley	L. J. Grantham	525	489	36	40	40	6	...	10	75	40	2	20	40	120	100	.....	19	50	3	40
Benton	J. W Britton	600	580	20	40	40	8	1	12	200	65	1	12	35	75	61	.....	12	30	2	65
Cairo	S. P. Groves	1200	1200	....	70	70	8	8	30	182	20	1	24	60	180	165	....	22	30	10	131
Carbondale	W. Wallis	1200	1200	....	95	95	15	15	60	170	173	2	34	80	370	258	.....	30	90	36	173
Carterville	R Robertson	400	400	...	30	30	4	....	10	42	10	1	8	15	60	43	20	8	22	4	10
Chester and Palestine	L. S. Walker	750	667	83	64	64	9	4	15	60	50	2	24	40	175	125	100	20	50	2	50
Corinth	J. C. Kinison	460	660	....	64	64	9	5	30	125	102	6	60	170	550	400	.....	60	..	85	102
DuQuoin	J. Leeper	720	720	...	40	40	7	8	30	100	60	1	16	50	160	100	.....	16	50	6	60
DuQuoin Circuit	J. Pressley	450	361	89	40	40	7	..	4	20	28	3	21	144	144	100	....	14	98	1	28
Elco	D. W. Ashby	600	497	103	36	36	7	2	4	60	21	1	7	21	60	44	.....	7	39	6	21
Jonesboro	J. L. Hawk	722	652	70	39	39	7	1	9	60	50	3	26	50	160	120	....	23	....	6	50
Marion	U. G. Johnston	800	800	....	40	40	10	..	4	50	26	1	12	50	100	70	.....	11	20	7	20
Makanda	L. Smith	600	531	69	44	46	8	8	30	100	44	3	35	68	194	181	.....	35	72	27	44
Mound City	E. Joy	406	400	....	56	36	7	5	10	75	50	1	12	30	100	75	.....	7	15		50
Mt. Vernon	J. W. VanCleve	1240	1240	....	105	105	15	15	115	340	175	1	34	107	384	292	.....	29	197	14	175
Mt. Vernon Circuit	S. Green	600	485	115	60	54	9	2	10	75	50	4	50	100	300	250	.....	50	.....	...	50
Murphysborough	A. J. Little	720	720	...	40	40	7	7	30	175	150	1	22	70	210	180	.....	21	100	.	150
Opdyke	Asa Snell	660	390	70	40	35	7	3	6	60	53	3	31	66	200	172	.....	27	63	7	53
Pinckneyville	B. S. Smith	720	720	....	36	36	7	4	12	75	40	1	28	50	180	150	...	16	100	....	40
Richview	J. L. Cunningham	600	600	....	36	36	4	1	4	60	30	1	13	25	100	60	36	13	20	10	30
Sparta	J. D. Crenshaw	720	655	65	36	36	8	3	12	50	40	2	26	40	110	80	28	15	15	.	40
Spring Garden	J. B. Crowder	460	307	153	36	31	7	....	9	67	55	6	56	95	280	210	.....	45	200	35	55
Steelville	W. H. Bickers	423	344	79	30	30	3	1	1	10	6	2	18	30	70	50	.....	18	25	....	6
Tamaroa	J. E. McKelvey	400	312	88	36	24	4	...	1	45	.....	2	50	35	135	37	.....	20	110	5	....
Thebes	W. McIntosh	386	410	...	36	36	5	..	5	.....	.. .	4	23	50	1150	75	.....	23	50	....	....
Thompsonville	J. K. Hunter	475	435	40	40	40	6	..	5	75	40	5	42	100	300	.....	... ..	....	....	15	40
Vergenes	C. W. Easterly	460	250	210	40	40	7	..	4	50	10	3	35	50	200	... ..	.....	.....	.....	...	....
Villa Ridge	W. M. Ellagood	350	315	35	30	30	5	1	3	40	20	2	15	30	90	75	. ...	15	35	5	20
	Totals	19061	17660	1425	1306	1280	214	95	485	2631	1618	66	770	1731	5230	3520	184	592	1521	286	1533
	Last Year	.....	.....	...	.....	....	.....	...	.....	... ..	....	65	669	1247	5173	4068	340	627	2167	428	1816
	Increase	.....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	....	1	101	484	57	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	....
	Decrease	.....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	548	56	35	646	142	283

OLNEY DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No I. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893.

NAME OF CHARGES.	CHURCH MEMBERS'P.				BAP-TISMS.		SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			CHURCH PROPERTY.						BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.																			
																MISSIONS.					EDUCATION.												OTHER COLL'NS	
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children baptized.	Adults baptized.	Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Churches.	Sunday Schools.	Total.	Board Ch. Extension.	Sunday-school Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid Soc'y.	Children's Fund.	Other Educational Objects.	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	*Episcopal Fund.	*Conference Claimants.	Domestic Missions.	McKendree College.
Albion	3	209	3	1	12	14	2	31	351	2	$4000	1	$1250	$85	$125	.....	170	30	200	10	4	4	10	15	.....	.....	25	.....	10	83	10	10
Belmont	5	310	2	4	....	12	6	48	330	4	3800	1	600	75	.....	.....	125	10	135	8	3	3	8	18	.....	.....	10	...	4	36	3	6
Birds Mission	3	88	2	1	1	1	3	28	97	2	1450	..	.....	360	.....	27	17	...	17	....	....	....	....	2	.....	.....	.....	...	4	10	.....	.....
Bone Gap	5	233	1	5	3	17	2	40	295	2	2100	1	835	239	.....	.....	110	20	130	10	5	4	10	10	.....	...	84	...	10	40	8	15
Bridgeport	25	450	1	7	9	16	5	83	462	5	10000	1	1000	1591	.....	1056	261	50	311	30	6	6	30	37	30	6	3	....	18	53	15	30
Browns	10	139	..	3	12	8	3	31	227	2	1000	..	...	.....	.....	.....	34	6	40	3	2	2	3	4	...	.....	.....	...	4	20	4	...
Calhoun	20	383	..	4	4	21	4	52	345	4	4700	1	600	.....	.....	125	100	80	180	8	4	4	8	10	.....	4	.....	...	8	30	10	...
Claremont	19	420	2	2	3	43	6	62	415	6	6100	1	600	1170	.....	70	125	.	125	6	4	4	6	19	5	...	14	...	10	25	8	....
Clay City	3	204	1	5	.....	....	4	36	233	4	5500	1	500	78	.....	400	14	21	35	2	1	1	2	20	1	.....	.....	....	4	15	4	...
Fairfield	60	420	2	6	....	8	1	23	190	1	16000	1	1650	100	.....	925	86	74	160	15	4	4	15	10	.....	....	101	....	15	65	12	...
Flat Rock	5	246	1	1	3	12	4	45	449	4	3500	1	600	.....	.....	.....	415	35	450	10	3	3	12	12	.....	...	10	..	10	30	5	....
Flora	18	344	1	3	3	....	1	25	205	1	16000	1	2000	.....	.....	.....	30	30	60	10	5	5	10	12	....	.....	.....	40	8	30	5	....
Hutsonville	....	264	..	2	.....	...	3	42	290	3	1800	1	450	.....	.....	.....	38	10	48	4	2	1	2	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	5	.....	.....
Jeffersonville	5	260	1	5	....	1	4	40	250	6	4000	1	500	200	.....	.....	30	5	35	3	3	2	4	8	...	.....	.....	...	3	17	.....	.....
Lancaster	35	290	1	1	.....	.....	5	62	332	5	8200	1	300	3	15	....	86	14	100	5	6	6	5	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	16	1	.....
Mt. Erie	3	245	..	4	...		3	20	200	4	3000	1	800	.....	.....	.....	29	25	54	2	1	1	1	2	...	.....	48	...	2	14	..	.....
Newton	....	197	3	3	7	10	1	24	125	1	2000	1	100	60	52	23	258	50	308	15	5	5	15	10	...	.....	50	....	12	40	10	5
Newton Circuit	6	164	1	..	....	2	4	35	180	4	3000	1	100	550	.....	100	22	18	40	3	2	1	1	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	12	....	5
Noble	2	256	..	4	3	8	4	40	280	4	3000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	155	17	172	4	2	2	4	10	....	..	....	...	6	30	2	5
Oblong	26	505	1	4	4	120	5	64	360	5	4100	1	500	165	100	....	115	22	137	4	1	1	4	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	25	....	5
Olney	23	428	2	1	2	3	1	33	326	1	8000	1	1500	200	.....	.....	192	48	240	25	5	5	25	9	3	.....	.....	50	18	40	11	30
Robinson	3	233	..	5	11	2	1	18	205	1	5000	1	1000	5	337	.....	100	20	120	12	6	6	12	10	.....	..	24	.....	8	40	10	10
Sumner	34	342	2	4	10	82	1	36	300	1	4000	1	1000	115	52	265	150	10	160	8	5	5	8	10	.....	.	21	.	8	50	10	10
Sumner Ct.	5	362	1	1	15	52	6	48	400	6	4200	..	....	900	..	100	45	....	45	6	4	3	6	6	.....	...	2	3	6	18	...	...
West Liberty	20	280	2	3	....	2	4	49	318	4	3200	1	500	100	140	400	55	20	75	1	1	1	2	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	20	3	....
Willow Hill	9	310	2	4	5	25	4	42	242	8	8000	..	...	140	.....	.....	30	20	50	2	1	1	2	5			.....	.....	2	20	3	....
Totals	347	7802	32	82	107	459	87	1007	7407	90	129680	22	17335	6136	821	3491	2803	635	3426	206	84	80	205	282	39	10	392	93	185	784	131	131
Last Year	325	7101	29	95	98	349	86	989	6869	89	126600	22	17750	13155	10179	2041	2605	604	3209	241	92	84	247	.....	.....	24	329	.....	.....	793	154	123
Increase	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	....	...	..	.....	..	.....	....	.....	.....	....	...	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Decrease	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	....	...	..	.....	..	.....	....	.....	.....	....	...	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

OLNEY DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No. II. — SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893. — STATISTICS No. III.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, includ'g Salary, House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	PASTORS. Receipts, includ'g Salary House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	PASTORS. Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELDERS. Apportioned.	PRESID'G ELDERS. Paid.	BISH'PS. Apport'oned.	BISH'PS. Paid.	CONF. CLAIM'T. Received from Collections and other Sources.	CURRENT EXPENSES. Church—Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	CURRENT EXPENSES. Sunday-School—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	SUNDAY-SCHOOLS. No. Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. Scholars in Infant Class.	No. Scholars of all Ages.	Average Attendance.	No. Library Books.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.	Scholars who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. Conversions in Sunday-school this year.	Current Expenses—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Albion	W. Carson	700	700	....	50	54	10	10	83	125	80	2	31	116	351	208	.....	31	50	21	80
Belmont	A. J. Dewhirst	660	630	30	54	56	8	4	36	95	100	6	48	65	330	240	.....	48	175	12	100
Birds Mission	C. S. McCullom	200	239	....	28	28	3	4	10	10	.....	3	28	32	97	85	.....	15	....	....	....
Bone Gap	W. Powis	675	655	20	50	50	10	10	40	125	75	2	40	75	295	227	.....	40	150	26	75
Bridgeport	S. A. McIntosh	775	800	...	65	65	18	18	53	175	120	5	83	135	462	337	100	79	300	20	120
Browns	G. W. Weber	150	174	.	15	15	4	4	20	70	30	3	31	67	227	120	.....	20	40	4	30
Calhoun	W. Kiesling	560	560	...	56	56	8	8	36	75	96	4	52	68	345	257	.....	51	180	80	96
Claremont	J. T. Murkin	600	575	25	52	52	10	10	25	125	80	6	62	70	415	211	50	55	....	30	70
Clay City	H. O. Hiser	480	444	36	40	40	6	4	15	79	54	4	36	60	233	150	.....	34	59	....	54
Fairfield	G. W. Shepherd	1100	900	200	80	80	20	15	65	225	110	1	23	60	250	201	.....	23	...	....	110
Flat Rock	J. W. Tennyson	553	497	56	60	60	10	10	30	50	143	4	45	167	449	175	96	33	150	10	143
Flora	J. W. Locke	850	850	....	50	50	12	8	30	77	.....	1	25	55	205	140	.....	18	50	....	277
Hutsonville	W. Tilroe	560	560	....	48	48	8	1	5	75	....	3	42	97	290	214	.....	40	53	....	75
Jeffersonville	L. C. Wilkin	485	411	74	56	53	8	3	17	25	40	4	40	75	250	175	...	20	75	6	40
Lancaster	J. H. McGriff	560	550	10	56	51	8	1	10	100	35	5	62	55	332	200	.....	62	260	20	35
Mt. Erie	C. D. Lingenfelter	475	450	2	40	37	6	2	14	70	.....	3	20	40	220	170	.....	20	80	3	....
Newton	C. W. Sabine	750	750	....	55	55	12	12	40	125	.....	1	24	25	125	90	.....	24	50	10	39
Newton Circuit	E. M. Barringer	400	320	32	32	32	4	4	12	40	26	4	35	56	180	135	35	32	50	....	26
Noble	W. H. Poole	575	575	....	54	54	8	6	30	90	60	4	40	70	280	190	100	40	150	12	60
Oblong	C. E. Sale	560	350	10	60	60	10	5	25	150	200	5	64	75	360	275	.....	60	245	75	200
Olney	C. Nash	1150	1150	....	98	95	18	18	40	174	60	1	33	125	326	215	200	33	150	....	60
Robinson	J. W. Jackson	880	880	....	60	60	10	8	40	148	80	1	18	125	205	125	.....	18	145	13	80
Sumner	J. G. Harmon	700	700	....	50	50	8	8	50	160	80	1	36	70	300	200	.....	36	175	85	80
Sumner Circuit	J. W. Edmondson	400	400	....	32	32	4	6	18	50	50	6	44	150	400	250	.....	68	300	50	50
West Liberty	Greetee Calvert	475	450	25	40	40	8	4	20	80		4	49	75	318	225	.....	49	170	6	58
Willow Hill	W. L. Burkitt	532	471	61	40	39	5	3	20	100	.....	4	42	100	242	184	66	22	53	30	50
	Totals	11005	15241	584	1292	1314	237	185	784	2608	1519	87	1093	2108	7487	4999	647	936	3210	513	2008
	Last Year	.....	.....	..	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	.....	86	989	1639	6869	4704	370	895	3148	6	1786
	Increase	.....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	.	.....	.....	....	....	....
	Decrease	.....		....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

VANDALIA DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No. 1. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893.

NAME OF CHARGES.	CHURCH MEMBERS'P.				BAPTISMS.		SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			CHURCH PROPERTY.						BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.																
																MISSIONS.						EDUCATION.									OTHER COLL'NS	
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children baptized.	Adults baptized.	Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Churches.	Sunday Schools.	Total.	Board Ch. Extension.	Sunday-school Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid Soc'y.	Children's Fund.	Other Educational Objects.	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	*Episcopal Fund.	†Conference Claim ants.	Domestic Missions.	McKendree College.
Alma	20	284	..	5	1	....	3	26	228	3	$2500	1	$600	.....	.....	$225	55	5	60	2	1	1	2	3	1	....	....	....	2	14	....	....
Altamont	17	177	1	..	4	10	1	32	185	1	2000	1	1000	$172	....	134	50	....	50	4	2	2	4	7	.. ....	1	..	..	2	18	2	5
Avena	28	247	4	4	8	25	6	50	380	6	4100	1	600	100	$125	.....	66	2	68	2	....	....	1	2	.....	....	....	....	2	16	..	....
Centralia	8	300	3	4	4	7	1	27	269	1	8000	1	2200	200	.....	..	139	36	175	15	2	2	8	10	.....	...	60	....	11	40	8	29
Centralia Miss'n.	4	108	1	4	3	14	4	22	106	3	1800	..	.....	60	.....	100	2	....	22	3	1	1	3	.....	.....	...	....	....	2	12	3	....
Cisne	4	105	..	2	1	1	1	16	125	7	1200	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	10	30	2	....	....	....	3	.. ....	....	....	....	..	14	....	....
Effingham	6	245	..	1	6	1	1	23	241	1	3000	1	1200	...	.....	.....	60	60	120	13	4	4	10	6	15	5	7	1	11	20	10	....
Farina	9	222	1	3	1	1	2	21	168	3	3600	1	800	750	.....	550	74	6	80	6	2	2	3	5	.....	4	..	1	3	28	2	5
Irvington	....	150		4	2	....	2	18	85	3	2400	1	600	....	.....	.....	25	5	30	2	1	1	2	1	....	2	....		1	14	1	.. .
Iuka	...	190	2	3	....	....	4	38	154	4	3000	1	400	.....	.....	40	6	5	11	3	1	1	2	3	.....	....	....	....	2	5	....	....
Johnsonville	1	208	1	.	2	....	2	22	160	3	3000	1	500	.....	10	.....	35	....	35	1	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	1	13	....	....
Kinmundy	7	141	..	.	....	11	1	19	125	1	1500	1	700	125	210	.....	43	7	50	5	1	1	3	5	.....	....	37	....	3	18	3	....
Louisville	12	190	1	..	2	25	3	40	300	3	2600	1	500	400	.....	...	28	12	40	1	....	....	1	2	.....	....	....	....	..	6	....	....
Mason	7	225	1	6	....	16	2	26	190	3	2500	1	750	200	140	100	30	5	35	2	1	1	2	2	.....	....	....	....	...	14	..	....
Moccasin	18	352	..	5	7	5	6	75	425	6	6300	1	500	800	.....	200	40	24	64	4	1	1	2	4	2	....	....	....	2	25	5	....
Montrose	16	179	..	1	6	11	3	18	90	4	2400	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	..	20	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.	....	....	4	10	2	3
Odin	7	106	1	1	2	1	2	16	150	2	3000	1	400	212	.....	38	20	....	20	4	1	1	2	.....	.....	.. .	2	1	2	18	3	10
Patoka	30	322	1	4	..	1	4	30	200	5	4000	1	800	1000	...	.....	45	5	50	2	1	1	2	2	.....	....	....	....	5	10	....	10
Sailor Springs	5	200	1	..	4	13	3	34	160	4	2100	1	500	1200	50	100	60	5	65	8	1	2	5	.....	1	....	....	....	3	27	2	....
Salem	5	153	1	3	1	1	1	17	150	1	5000	1	1000	230	..	.....	90	10	100	15	4	4	8	5	4	1	36	....	8	26	10	6
St. Elmo	20	150	1	3	....	....	1	18	120	1	1000	1	500	100	.....	100	15	15	30	2	1	1	2	.....		4	.	...	3	15	....	....
Shobonier	5	160	1	3	....	....	1	15	250	4	3550	1	350	100	.....	.....	26	....	26	1	1	1	1	5	.....	....	....	....	..	7	....	....
Vandalia	63	330	1	.	15	60	1	43	400	1	16000	1	3000	200	.. ....	.....	109	41	150	15	4	4	10	5	5	....	98	....	12	40	6	25
Walnut Hill	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	48	22	70	4	2	2	5	10	.....	2	2	2	2	16	....	2
Watson	4	212	3	1	1	25	4	36	130	4	3250	1	4 0	.....	70	25	15	..	15	3	1	1	2	3	.....	....	....	....	2	10	3	....
Xenia	4	195	..	3	1	14	4	30	215	3	3000	1	500	220	120	25	7	7	14	3	1	1	2	5	.....	....	....	....	2	10	....	....
Totals	304	5293	26	58	73	242	67	755	5178	75	93250	23	18325	6637	743	1717	1148	283	1431	122	34	35	82	84	28	19	243	5	85	446	55	95
Last Year	522	5095	26	77	114	275	70	781	5437	72	98000	23	17675	5620	2248	1690	1119	391	1500	140	46	46	122	.....	.....	32	267	16	92	424	65	41
Increase	...	198	..	..	...	....	..	....	....	3	.....	..	650	1017	.....	28	29	....	.....	....	..	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	22	...	54
Decrease	18	....	..	19	51	13	3	26	259		4750	..	.....	...	1505	.....	....	108	69	18	12	11	40	.....	.....	13	24	11	7	....	15	....

VANDALIA DISTRICT.

STATISTICS No. II. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893. STATISTICS No. III.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.										SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.									
		PASTORS.			PRESID'G ELDERS.		BISH'PS.		CONF.	CURRENT EXPENSES											
		Claims, includ'g Salary, House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	Receipts, includ'g Salary House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Received from Collections and other Sources.	Church—Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday-School—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	No. Schools.	No Officers and Teachers.	No. Scholars in Infant Class.	No. Scholars of all Ages.	Average Attendance.	No. Library Books.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.	Scholars who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. Conversions in Sunday-school this year.	Current Expenses—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Alma	A. Harris	510	440	70	40	34	7	2	14	60	55	3	26	45	225	125	.. ...	24	75	....	55
Altamont	C. E. Bovard	600	500	....	50	50	7	2	18	17	45	1	32	60	185	145	.....	32	89	...	45
Avena	D. J. Little	560	520	40	60	60	9	2	16	60	75	6	50	125	380	250	40	50	160	25	75
Centralia	J. D. Gillham	1200	1200	....	100	100	13	11	40	200	113	1	25	126	269	180	.....	24	100	10	113
Centralia Mission	L. Hullett	250	196	54	20	20	4	2	12	.....	.....	4	32	56	112	100	75	15	50	13	46
Cisne	I. G. Morrill	300	200	100	40	41	4	....	14	40	14	1	16	25	125	77	100	23	20	2	14
Effingham	C. B. Besse	1200	1200	....	80	80	11	11	20	156	111	1	23	31	341	165	... ..	25	66	...	111
Farina	Wm. Leatherman	625	516	79	50	50	7	3	28	60	28	2	21	60	168	88	.....	18	67	....	28
Irvington	S. E. Turner	460	414	46	40	36	8	1	14	45	19	2	18	36	86	68	.....	10	30	....	20
Iuka	P. W. Lockhart	400	283	117	40	40	6	2	5	20	28	4	43	60	164	196	...	33	89	....	28
Johnsonville	G. N. Wilkerson	460	380	80	40	40	5	1	13	50	28	2	22	60	160	100	.....	20	80	...	28
Kinmundy	A. Vandaveer	600	600	...	48	48	8	3	18	80	65	1	19	35	125	90	.....	19	70	20	65
Louisville	A. H. Pitkin	450	360	90	40	37	8	....	6	50	70	3	40	100	300	200	.....	40	100	50	70
Mason	M. B. Baker	525	600	....	44	44	7	....	14	60	25	2	26	50	90	103	...	20	60	25	25
Moccasin	B. A. Hoar	560	525	35	32	60	4	2	25	54	50	6	75	200	425	270	100	75	150	6	60
Montrose	D. R. Miller	300	308	....	40	33	7	4	10	25	26	3	18	60	190	50	... ..	18	40	....	26
Odin	M. L. Cole	510	480	30	60	40	9	2	18	75	48	2	16	40	150	114	.....	15	30	2	48
Patoka	W. J. Morris	525	479	46	40	60	8	5	10	75	50	4	30	75	200	150	.....	.....	...	....	50
Sailor Springs	D. Shouse	500	500	....	80	40	8	3	27	30	40	3	34	40	126	120		30	90	15	40
Salem	J. B. Thompson	1200	1200	...	50	80	6	8	26	120	60	1	17	50	150	100	.....	17	75	1	60
St. Elmo	J. E. Nickerson	600	600	....	40	50	6	3	15	100	53	1	18	30	120	95	.....	18	.....	....	53
Shobonier	D. W. Baker	450	410	40	84	30	12	....	7	55	65	3	35	40	250	225	.....	20	35	5	65
Vandalia	B. R. Pierce	1200	1100	100	50	84	8	12	40	273	231	1	43	100	400	238	....	40	122	50	231
Walnut Hill	W. G. Hale	500	450	50	50	50	8	2	16	35	28	4	43	55	175	130	40	37	115	6	28
Watson	H. Manifold	500	421	79	40	47	7	2	10	12	40	4	36	....	130	.....	.....	30	....		40
Xenia	E. Barnes	540	415	135	40	40	7	2	10	55	70	4	30	58	215	170	48	29	70	....	70
	Totals	15535	14427	1201	1298	1284	194	85	446	1807	1437	69	789	1616	5216	3500	403	681	1783	230	1494
	Last Year	.....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	70	781	1315	5437	3914	775	706	2154	369	1463
	Increase	... ..	.....	..	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	8	301	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	31
	Decrease	.....	.. .	....	.....	..	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	221	414	372	125	371	139	....

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

STATISTICS No. 1. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893.

NAME OF DISTRICTS	CHURCH MEMBERS'P.				BAPTISMS.		SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			CHURCH PROPERTY.						BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.																
																MISSIONS.						EDUCA'N.								OTHER COLL'NS		
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children baptized.	Adults baptized.	Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Churches.	Sunday Schools.	Total.	Board Ch. Extension.	Sunday-school Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid Soc'y.	Children's Fund.	Other Educational Objects.	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	*Episcopal Fund.	†Conference Claimants.	Domestic Missions.	McKendree College.
Alton	181	3109	12	47	101	90	45	337	3806	49	$ 112075	18	$23150	$ 5431	$ 656	$ 3972	$645	$547	$ 1192	$ 70	$ 31	$ 32	$ 54	$148	$ 44	$ 46	$403	$ 65	$ 72	$240	$ 20	$ 39
Lebanon	165	3038	17	41	141	129	46	545	4299	51	113000	19	18700	4068	1541	2304	1167	315	1482	155	38	34	100	77	25	117	219	8	102	486	91	462
Mt. Carmel	560	6753	32	62	114	370	78	696	5114	89	108690	22	17150	4171	1313	6504	860	365	1225	106	40	38	78	110	11	16	37	4	135	414	72	315
Mt. Vernon	430	5927	31	88	136	300	66	705	3230	73	126100	24	23200	9734	2050	3935	961	437	1398	146	41	38	107	63	10	5	176	4	95	485	55	109
Olney	347	7502	32	82	107	459	87	1007	7407	90	129650	22	178 5	6136	820	3491	2803	633	3426	206	84	80	205	282	39	10	392	93	185	784	131	131
Vandalia	304	5293	26	58	73	242	67	755	5178	75	93250	23	18325	6637	743	1717	1148	283	1431	122	34	35	82	84	28	19	243	5	85	446	35	95
Grand Totals	1987	31922	150	382	675	1590	389	4245	31034	427	$ 683365	128	117860	26177	$ 7124	$22123	7584	2580	$10154	803	268	257	626	$764	$ 157	213	1470	179	674	2875	404	1151
Last Year	2134	30560	170	459	591	1507	392	4195	31309	417	669111	125	114571	52876	15967	16882	7339	2712	10051	836	293	280	733	....	.....	313	1371	40	731	2914	555	720
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RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

STATISTICS No. II. — SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE, 1893. — STATISTICS No. III.

NAME OF DISTRICTS.	NAME OF PRESIDING ELDERS.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, includ'g Salary, House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	PASTORS. Receipts, includ'g Salary House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonage.	PASTORS. Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELDERS. Apportioned.	PRESID'G ELDERS. Paid.	BISHOPS. Apportioned.	BISHOPS. Paid.	CONF. CLAIM'T. Received from Collections and other Sources.	CURRENT EXPENSES. Church—Sexton, Light Fuel, Etc.	CURRENT EXPENSES. Sunday-School—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	SUNDAY-SCHOOLS. No. Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. Scholars in Infant Class.	No. Scholars of all Ages.	Average Attendance.	No. Library Books.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.	Scholars who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. Conversions in Sunday-school this year.	Current Expenses—Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Alton	J. A. Scarritt	14355	13273	982	1173	972	131	72	240	2262	1380	41	494	1442	4106	2863	1860	424	1092	195	1315
Lebanon	O. H. Clark	13165	13336	408	1320	1227	165	102	486	2535	1364	46	545	1480	4275	3069	1946	432	1170	155	1217
Mt. Carmel	J. B. Ravenscroft	15762	14793	1464	1288	1264	219	135	414	1922	1244	78	696	1864	5094	3892	515	617	2244	432	1504
Mt. Vernon	J. W. Flint	19061	17660	1425	1306	1280	214	95	485	2631	1618	66	770	1731	5230	3520	184	592	1521	286	1533
Olney	W. VanCleve	12005	15241	584	1292	1314	237	185	784	2608	1519	87	1093	2108	7487	4999	647	963	3210	513	2008
Vandalia	F. M. Van Treese	15535	14427	1201	1298	1284	194	85	446	1887	1437	69	789	1616	5216	3500	403	681	1783	230	1494
	Grand Totals	89683	88730	6062	7677	7341	1160	694	2855	13845	8562	387	4347	10241	31408	21843	5555	3709	11020	1811	9071
	Last Year	90804	86239	4545	7659	7418	1120	741	2914	13970	9247	392	4195	7764	30309	23020	6984	3648	12727	2098	9247
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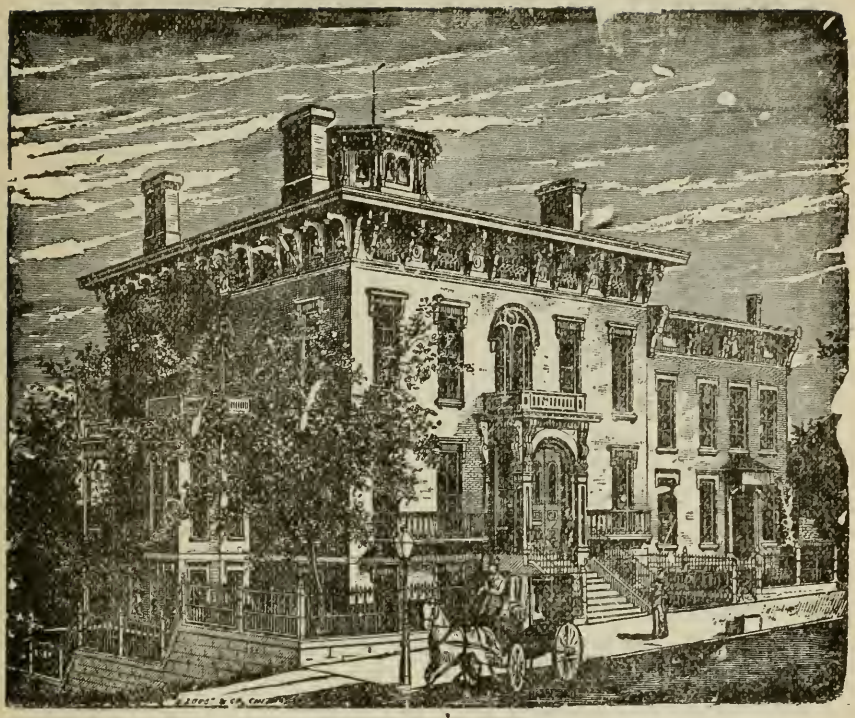

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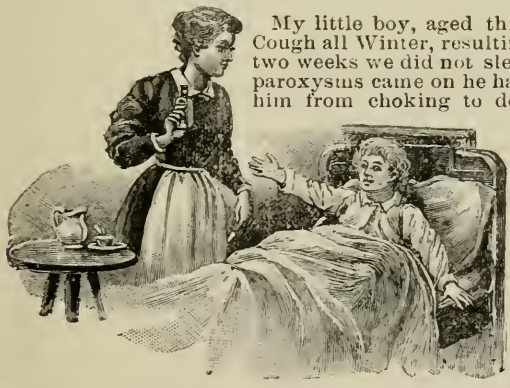

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